

DEBATE ON BILL TO AID BRITAIN TO BEGIN MONDAY

House Rules Committee Gives It Priority in Legislation

Washington, Jan. 31—(AP)—The administration's British-aid bill was sent to the house floor today for a momentous debate starting Monday, while Secretary Knox testified that the nazis were awaiting "good weather for a long enough time" to invade England.

After a brief hearing, the house rules committee gave the bill a legislative right-of-way under procedure calling for three days of general debate and permitting the unlimited offerings of amendments.

Committee members said the action was by voice vote. Advocating such a course, Chairman Bloom (D-NY) of the foreign affairs committee had stated frankly that the United States was "not neutral" but "just as neutral as any other nation."

Knox was at the other end of the Capitol, testifying before the foreign relations committee. The navy secretary renewed his forecast of a "very grave crisis" within 60 or 90 days.

Knox said it was "wild fancy" to believe that a negotiated peace now could bring stability to Europe.

Knox also declared that there had been a "lull" in German airplane production in the past month or two, during which, he said, American and British planes had produced more planes than the German planes.

Nazis Seek New Ship?
This was due, he declared, to a "desperate" German search for a "new type of ship that will make all of the airplanes in the air now obsolete."

The British, too, he described as "desperately seeking" such a new design, adding that this was one reason why American plant production capacity should be increased rapidly.

"Then," he said, "if we find some design that will make every other plane in the world obsolete, we can turn them out by the hundreds."

Senator Gillette (D-Iowa) asked Knox if it weren't true that even a strong navy would have difficulty in overcoming shore batteries.

"That's what makes the attempted invasion of England so dubious," Knox replied.

Gillette asked about a speech in which Grand Admiral Raeder of the German navy said recently that Germany planned to become a world navy power. When Gillette referred to the speech as "bombastic," Knox said:

Germans Do Things

"All through this war, we have heard things come out of Germany and we have said they couldn't be done and in 30 or 90 days they are done." He cited the invasion of Norway and the destruction of the French army as two examples of this.

"When they talk blusteringly and boastfully," he said, "I don't believe them but I get my armor ready."

The aid to Britain legislation went to the House rules committee carrying the strongly-phrased endorsement of the majority members of the foreign affairs committee who declared that its prompt enactment "is of the highest importance to the vital interests of our country—and even to our civilization."

The majority set forth its views in a 5,000-word formal report issued last night after the committee approved the bill by a 17-to-8 vote.

Three Claims for Bill

The report made these three claims for the bill:

It would not get the United States into war;

It provided the best method of giving aid to nations resisting aggression, and

It accomplished that purpose in the manner best suited for national defense.

Rep. Fish (R-NY), who voted against reporting the bill, promptly announced a minority report would be issued as soon as possible, summarizing the case against the legislation.

The Republican floor leader, Rep. Martin (Mass.) emphatically aligned himself with the opposition when the bill was reported and demanded "substantial" amendments. He said he wanted to aid Britain "thoroughly" but objects to the broad powers the bill conferred on the president.

He spoke approvingly of an alternative suggestion to give Britain \$2,000,000,000 to spend here.

Calls GOP Meeting for later today to discuss the bill so that the boys can make up their own minds.

In the senate the foreign relations committee announced that opposition witnesses would begin

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Difficulties

Spokane, Wash., Jan. 31—(AP)—Answering a hurry call, the patrolmen took a short-cut. Their car hit a mudhole and sank to its hub caps.

A second prowler car went to the rescue. It bogged down. So did a third. A city truck went to pull the three cars out but sank behind them.

Finally, as the city's longest truck succeeded in pulling out the four cars, headquarters broadcast that the hurry call was a false alarm.

Ford, Low Bidder on Contract, Not Given Army Work

Washington, Jan. 31—(AP)—The war department's action in withholding a multi-million dollar truck order from the Ford Motor Co., was interpreted today as notice that henceforth defense contracts will be placed only with firms which accept the labor clauses stipulated by the government.

In awarding a contract for 11-781 half-ton trucks to the Fargo Motor Corporation of Detroit, rather than to Ford, the low bidder, the department announced last night that the latter firm had "excepted as to the labor clauses" which have been written into Army contracts since mid-December.

Fargo's bid was \$10,298,128. I. A. Capizzi, Ford attorney, said at Detroit that his firm's bid was \$250,000 lower, and declared that "labor groups have the ear of certain officials in Washington, whereas the Ford Motor Company does not."

Section Unnamed

On December 17 a regulation was issued governing contracts for military supplies, asserting that the work "x x x" will be carried out in compliance with the provisions of the statement of labor policy relative to overtime pay and in compliance with federal statutory provisions affecting labor wherever such provisions are applicable, as well as with state and local statutes affecting labor relations, hours of work, wages, workmen's compensation, safety and sanitation.

It was not immediately revealed which section of the "labor clauses" was objectionable to Ford.

National Leader of Bund, 8 Associates Sentenced to Cells

Newton, N. J., Jan. 31—(AP)—Wilhelm Kunze, national leader of the German American Bund, and eight Bund associates were sentenced today to serve one year to 14 months in state prison on charges of violating New Jersey's "race hatred" law.

Two of them also were fined \$2,000 each and the other seven, \$1,000 each.

The men had been indicted on charges of making or permitting anti-Semitic speeches at the Bund's Camp Nordland, in Andover township. They elected to file a demurrer, challenging the constitutionality of the law and denying the seriousness of the charges, instead of standing trial.

Judge John C. Losey of the Sussex county court overruled the demurrer January 7 and imposed the sentences today.

Motion for Appeal

An appeal motion was filed immediately.

Sentenced with Kunze were: August Klapprott, Andover, the Bund's eastern regional leader, whose territory reaches to Florida, one of those fined \$2,000.

Matthias Kohler, Irvington, New Jersey Bund treasurer, also fined \$2,000.

The Rev. John C. Fitting, Union City, state Bund secretary.

Richard Schiele, Paterson, Camp Nordland trustee.

Paul Schaarschmidt, Paterson, also a trustee.

Carl Schipphorst, Glen Rock, trustee.

George Neuppert, Cliffside Park, trustee.

Leonard D. Clark, New York.

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Ace Speed Flier Proposes 200,000 "Flivver Planes" for Home Defense

Indianapolis, Jan. 31—(AP)—Col. Roscoe Turner, the nation's No. 1 speed flier, proposed today the formation of an armada of 200,000 converted "flivver planes" manned by private pilots for home defense.

Col. Turner, acknowledged the country's ace speedster by the National Aeronautic Association, said in an interview that such a force could be established and equipped in a year and a half, and could repel invasion by land and sea.

He expressed belief that the 30-000 or more light two-place planes already in use in the United States could be increased to 200,000 in that period by a step-up in production.

"The cheapest military plane you've got is around \$55,000," he said. "You can get these little ships in bunches like bananas for

LEE COUNTY TO FURNISH SCORE OF MEN FEB. 10

First Call for Month Issued to Illinois Draft Boards

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 31—(AP)—Illinois selective service headquarters issued the first February call to local draft boards today, directing that 297 men report on February 10 for induction into the army.

The state's full quota for February has been tentatively set at 5,123 men. Today's call listed only 36 local draft boards, but Colonel L. N. Bittinger, state executive officer of the selective service system, said the quotas for other local boards in the state would be ready for announcement early next week.

Local boards named in the first quota list for February, and the number of men each board was ordered to supply, are:

City boards—Aurora No. 1, 11 men; Aurora No. 2, 5; Elgin No. 1, 4; Elgin No. 2, 6; Waukegan No. 1, 7; Waukegan No. 2, 9.

County boards—Gallatin, 14; Henderson, 5; Jasper, 8; Jefferson No. 1, 6; Jefferson No. 2, 19; Johnson, 2; Kane No. 1, 5; Kane No. 2, 8; Lawrence, 8; Logan, 6; Grundy, 7; Iroquois No. 1, 15; Iroquois No. 2, 7; Kankakee No. 1, 4; Kankakee No. 2, 5; Knox No. 1, 2; Knox No. 2, 4; Lake No. 1, 7; Lake No. 2, 6; Lake No. 3, 21; LaSalle No. 1, 6; LaSalle No. 2, 29; LaSalle No. 3, 10; LaSalle No. 4, 12; Livingston No. 1, 5; Livingston No. 2, 9; McDonough, 4; Lee No. 1, 7; Lee No. 2, 12; Kendall, 2.

All of the drafters in the Feb. 10 call will report for induction at the Chicago induction station in the 122d Field Artillery armory at 234 East Chicago Avenue.

See Rule on Exemptions

Meanwhile, a Springfield draft board's decision to grant deferments from military service to all married men, regardless of the financial dependency of wives or children, has provoked a dispute that was carried today to national selective service officials in Washington.

Local draft board No. 2 ruled earlier this week that all married men living with their wives would be deferred from service on the ground that "the best interests of the community, the state, the nation and the home requires the presence of a husband with his family and this irrespective of dependency."

Officials of adjoining draft district No. 1 were immediately besieged by protests from married men who might be drafted because their wives were financially independent. S. Phil Hutchinson, district No. 1 appeals agent, protested against the "unqualified" deferment order of district No. 2 and asked state selective service headquarters for aid in settling the conflict.

To Seek Clarification

Paul G. Armstrong, state selective service director, has been in Washington this week and was asked by telephone to seek a clarification of deferment policy for married men from national selective service officials.

A spokesman at state selective service headquarters said that state officials had no authority to interfere with ruling of local draft boards.

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Dancer's Slayer Dies in Poison Gas Chamber

San Quentin, Calif., Jan. 31—(AP)—With calm fatalism, DeWitt Clinton Cook, 21, died in San Quentin prison's gas chamber today for the murder of Anya Sosoyeva, 24, a dancer and art student, who was bludgeoned two years ago at Los Angeles.

All night long in his death cell he had played a small radio, making no attempt to sleep. He ate no breakfast.

He told a guard last night "I have made up my mind I have to go; that is all there is to it."

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Perplexed

Ann Arbor, Mich., Jan. 31—(AP)—Alan Ruth, Potter, eight-year-old Boston school girl, has found the world a more perplexing place to live in since she received gift dictionary from Dr. Eugene S. McCartney, an editor of the University of Michigan Press.

"I think a dictionary is hard to use," she wrote Dr. McCartney in acknowledging the gift, "because you use it to find out how to spell a word, but you have to know how to spell the word in order to find it in the dictionary in the first place."

Terse News

Typewriters Stolen—
The Evening Telegraph office was visited by robbers last night. Two new typewriters being their loot. Authorities are investigating today.

Licensed to Wed Here—
A marriage license has been issued at the office of County Clerk Sterling D. Schrock to Lloyd B. Passow of Leland and Miss Helen M. Ganz of Compton.

Minor Traffic Accident—
Cars driven by Myron Mall and Leonard Bowers were damaged slightly in a collision on Galena avenue and River street this morning about 7 o'clock. Neither of the drivers was injured.

Held on Bad Check Charge—
John Butler, a garage man, was arrested here last evening at the request of Rochelle police. Chief Joe Jacobsen came to Dixon and accompanied Butler back to Rochelle where he is to face a charge of issuing a check to defraud.

From Naval Academy—
Herbert Emil Weyrauch, 207 South Third street, Oregon, will be among 400 midshipmen who will be graduated from the United States Military Academy at Annapolis, Md., in "June Week" exercises next month, the Associated Press reports. The graduation on Feb. 7 is a step in the speed-up program to provide officers for the nation's expanding fleet.

County Legion to Meet—
The Lee county council of the American Legion will hold a special meeting Tuesday evening at Amboy, to hear an address by Duane Wilson, superintendent of the Savanna schools. Mr. Wilson was a professional baseball player for three years, was former coach of athletics at Dubuque, has worked with boys in baseball for the past 15 years, and has served as an officer in Iowa Boys' State.

In Dixon Police Court—
Harry Helms, 204 College avenue, was assessed a fine of \$25 and costs by Police Magistrate James E. Bales in police court last evening on a charge of disturbing the peace at his home. In default of the fine he was remanded to the county jail.

Letters of Administration—
Letters of administration were ordered issued to Bess K. Smith by Judge Grover Gehant in Lee County court today to administer the estate of the late George W. Smith of this city, whose death occurred Dec. 28. The inventory lists personal property valued at \$3,000.

Dixon Engineer Honored—
C. J. McLean, 207 E. Boyd street, hydraulic engineer for the Illinois Northern Utilities Company, was elected a director of the Illinois Society of Engineers at its convention in Chicago last evening, the 56th annual gathering of the Illinois Society being held in conjunction with the convention of the National Society of Engineers. B. C. McCurdy, Belleville, St. Clair county superintendent of highways, was elected president of the Illinois society, the 1942 convention of which will be held in East St. Louis.

**Body of Woman Found
on 24th Floor Ledge
of Chicago Apartment**

Chicago, Jan. 31—(AP)—A window washer found the body of a woman today on a 24th floor ledge of a loop apartment building where apparently it had lain for several days.

Police began an investigation to determine if she had fallen or leaped from an upper floor of the 45-story Skyline apartments at Randolph and Wells streets. The management said no guests were reported missing.

The woman's body lay head down in a narrow gutter of the ledge overlooking Wells street. The gutter, approximately 18 inches wide and two feet deep, is surmounted on the street side by a cement balustrade.

John Mulhern, an investigator for the coroner, said the woman apparently had been on the ledge for two or three days or more.

SEVEN CHILDREN LUCKY AS THEIR HOME IS BURNED

No Adults in Chicago House When Fire is Discovered

Chicago, Jan. 31—(AP)—The seven children of the Finch and Gilsdorf families may not remember when they "get big" what almost happened to them last night, but they'll probably never have a more narrow escape from death if they live to be a million.

The "lucky" seven, ranging in age from nine months to five years, were snatched in the nick of time from the flaming home of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Finch in the Nottingham Park district at the southwest fringe of Chicago.

So close was the rescue that five of the children were lifted from beds whose covers already were ignited.

Sleeping in an upstairs bedroom were two of the Finches' children—Sharon, 16 months, and Jerry, 5 years—and three children of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Gilsdorf—Mary Lou, 4; Russell, Jr., 5, and Doris, 3. Downstairs were the Gilsdorf twins, a nine-months-old boy and girl.

No Adults at Home

The Gilsdorf brood had been left at the Finch home while the parents went to Green Bay, Wis., for the funeral of Gilsdorf's father.

Finch and his wife were at the home of a neighbor, Frank Berka, when an elder son, James, 16, rushed in with news of the fire.

Finch and Merle Havis, assistant chief of Nottingham Park's volunteer fire department, rushed upstairs and, with Berka's aid, hauled the five tots to safety down ladders as the flames curled around them. The twins downstairs were carried out by Mrs. Finch.

"The tots on the second floor still were asleep when we reached them," said Havis. "The bed-clothing had caught fire and we got them out just in time."

He estimated damage to the house, only partially destroyed at \$1,500. Origin of the fire was not determined.

Prowler, Surprised in House, Escaped Through Nearest Upstairs Window

A house prowler, who was engaged in ransacking the home of Mrs. Ruby McIntyre, 703 Fifth street, was surprised last evening about 7 o'clock and in his haste, kicked out a pane of glass in an upstairs window, leaped to the ground from the second story and succeeded in escaping. Police were notified and conducted an investigation, but nothing of value was reported to have been taken.

An occupant of the house returned unexpectedly as the prowler ransacked the several rooms and had gone to the second floor, where rugs were removed from the floors and drawers emptied of their contents. When a member of the household entered and switched on the lights, the prowler became panic stricken and lost no time in finding the quickest possible exit, which was through an upstairs window. He apparently escaped injury when he struck the ground and hurriedly left the neighborhood.

Umpire's Ruling Averts Strike at Chevrolet's No. 9 Plant in Detroit

Flint, Mich., Jan. 31—(AP)—Carl A. Swanson, regional director of the United Automobile workers (C. I. O.), expressed belief today that a decision by Dr. George W. Taylor, General Motors-U. A. W. A. umpire, has eliminated threat of a strike in the Chevrolet division here.

Swanson said that, as a result of Taylor's ruling, a discharged union committeeman has been reinstated in plant No. 9 with full back pay and no loss of seniority.

U. A. W. A.-C. I. O. members in the Chevrolet division had voted to authorize the calling of a strike, following discharge of the committeeman.

Willkie Spend Day at British Lines at Dover

Dover, England, Jan. 31—(AP)—Mud-splashed and weary after a day in Britain's front line on the channel, Wendell L. Willkie declared late today that British defenses against invasion appeared "very impressive and I wouldn't like to be the German attacking them."

He remarked that he had seen "some slight shelling" across the channel but that "it didn't amount to anything."

Declares Men Still Would be Running Around in Woods But for Their Wives

New Orleans, Jan. 31—(AP)—Men still would be running around in the woods if it weren't for their wives, real estate leaders said today in explaining that when they try to sell a house they emphasize the things the women like.

John McC. Mowbray of Baltimore, a director of the National Association of Real Estate Boards holding its south-central regional conference here, said in an interview:

"If it were left up to the men, they'd still be living in caves and running around with clubs. It's their wives who want a home with nice fixtures."

Chiming in, Charles S. Wanless of Springfield, Ill., the retiring treasurer, declared:

"I've kept close records for 34 years on the homes I've built and I find that the women were responsible for 98 per cent of the sales I've made."

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Unwarranted

Centralia, Ill., Jan. 31—(AP)—A woman notified police that a bicycle she believed stolen had been in her front yard several days.

Two policemen who answered the call found that the bicycle could not be carried in the patrol car, so they matched coins to see who would ride it back to headquarters. Patrolman Henry Carlyle lost.

Just as he reached the station, the woman called again—"I've just discovered that bicycle belongs to one of my roomers."

The same officers reached for coins. Carlyle lost again.

Georgia Loses in Effort to Return Fugitive to Gang

Trenton, N. J., Jan. 31—(AP)—Governor Charles Edison refused today to grant the extradition to Georgia of Robert Elliott Burns, who twice escaped from a chain gang.

Edison wrote to Governor Eugene Talmadge of Georgia that he believed former Governor A. Harry Moore's refusal, after a public hearing, to grant the extradition was a "finality."

"This puts a period on the Burns case," Edison commented as he announced his decision.

Governor Talmadge had sent formal extradition papers as soon as Edison was inaugurated as Moore's successor less than two weeks ago.

Burns, author of "I Am A Fugitive From A Georgia Chain Gang," now lives in Union, N. J.

Edison wrote to Talmadge: "I have before me your request for the rendition of one Robert Elliott Burns. As you know, the matter of the extradition of Burns came on for public hearing before former Governor Moore some years ago and was determined by him for and on behalf of the state of New Jersey adversely to the claim of your state."

"To me, such determination is a finality and I must therefore respectfully decline to honor your request in this matter."

TALMADGE'S COMMENT

Atlanta, Jan. 31—(AP)—Governor Eugene Talmadge of Georgia today dismissed New Jersey's refusal to extradite Robert Elliott Burns with this comment:

"He (Charles Edison) is governor of New Jersey and I'm governor of Georgia and I guess he's trying to look after his business the best he can."

He refused any amplification when asked if that meant Georgia was abandoning its efforts to return Burns.

Reason for this is that the planes which the British are turning out are said to be on the whole more up to date and better equipped than those of the German. That doesn't seem to make much sense until we note that the nazis are employing mass production and their industries are all set for certain type of planes, whereas the British have started from scratch and, because they are manufacturing cars and other types in many plants, they can keep the model up to date.

With mass production it is impossible to make quick changes in the construction of a complicated machine. In order to make any material alteration, a whole vast plant has to be redesigned.

The Germans, though, are said to have been turning out submarines successfully by mass production, and it is to this arm that they now turn.

Popular Election of President Sought by Massachusetts Man

Washington, Jan. 31—(AP)—Senator Lodge (R-Mass.) today asked congress to amend the Constitution to provide for direct election of the president and vice president by popular vote.

The Massachusetts senator introduced a resolution calling for a constitutional amendment to be ratified by the states, if congress approves.

The walkout ordered following a breakdown in negotiations between the management and the union on the latter's demands for an uppage in the minimum wage rate and elimination of piece work. Company spokesmen said the strike had halted production on "several million dollars" worth of defense orders.

No Violence Reported

Pickets continued to patrol the plant but no violence was reported.

The company said combined United States and Great Britain orders assigned to the tractor works were for 1,000 heavy crawler tractors. A number of months will be required to fill the orders, a spokesman said, since average production is about 20 a week.

Some of the tractors are for the Rock Island, Ill., arsenal, the Air Corps, the navy and the Marine Corps.

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Nazi Daylight Raiders Hit at Barrage Balloon Defenses Over Britain

The War Today!

By DeWITT MacKENZIE

The consensus of the British press today that Herr Hitler's "threat" to the United States won't scare Americans is a factual statement which probably the nazi chief himself wouldn't dispute, although his hope obviously was to weaken any program of all-out aid for the allies.

The comment of some of the London papers, though, that the fuhrer's speech seemed to be for home consumption doesn't seem like a particularly good guess. On the face of it he was talking very much for the benefit of America and not a little to England.

The statement by one paper that Hitler's pronouncement "is pure fantasy" and "has no resemblance to reality" can scarcely represent the general view. It strikes me that it would be highly dangerous to adopt that attitude toward an enemy much less powerful than Germany.

However, British Premier Churchill has made it clear many times over that he doesn't underestimate the nazi menace. Hitler isn't playing at war with wooden soldiers, and it is wise to note that while he undoubtedly does his share of bluffing, he generally has considerable in reserve to back his bluff.

The British appeals for quick help from America, and our own race for defensive arming, indicate plainly enough that Washington and London don't regard the German claims as nothing but hot air.

I have drawn attention to this because it seems to me that if we are to keep our perspective it is essential that we don't fall into the habit of underestimating the strength or the stated intentions of the nazis. One reason that France lies crushed is because both she and England underestimated the threat from east of the Rhine.

One of the most interesting, and important passages in Hitler's speech to my mind was his statement that U-boat warfare will begin this spring. This, coming on top of nazi Admiral Raeder's prediction of German victory through British shipping losses, would seem to be shifting the emphasis from the nazi air force to the submarine drive.

In other words the air fleet, on which the nazis have been placing their chief reliance to knock England out, has proved wanting. The luftwaffe, as Hitler remarked, will also be on the job, but it is patent that the nazi high command has had to shift its tactics. The nazi air arm has been unable to establish supremacy over the Royal Air Force. Indeed, the comparative strength of the British fleet has grown so rapidly—with the help of America—that I understand the command of the R. A. F. figures its actual fighting strength is now close to that of the Germans, although the latter have many more planes.

The territory between Bengali and Derna, which is 175 miles from the Egyptian frontier, is criss-crossed with roads and trails suitable for mechanized operations, military strategists said. The Jebel Akdar mountain range, rising to 2,000 feet in some places, parallels the coast, and its foothills extend inland about 80 miles.

The British apparently were pressing their pace before German air aid can become more effective in the Mediterranean area, and also in the knowledge that Adolf Hitler yesterday promised his people a German "victory within the year."

Negotiations for Settling Chicago IHC Strike Stop

Chicago, Jan. 31—(AP)—There seemed little likelihood today that further conferences aimed at settlement of the strike at International Harvester Company's Chicago tractor works would be held before next Monday.

The company management set that day as the earliest possible date for the next session because of the illness of one of its principal conferees.

So informed, David T. Roadley, federal conciliator, left town temporarily

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The Girl Scout committee held their January meeting at the Girl Scout rooms Monday afternoon. Mrs. Don Mills and Mrs. Dudley Allen are new members of the committee, replacing Mrs. George Priller and Mrs. Gerald Hough who resigned the first of the year. Members of the committee include Mrs. L. G. Schaer, chairman; Mrs. C. J. Price, vice chairman; Mrs. Donald Reid, treasurer; Mrs. Luce Meeker, secretary; and Mrs. Dallas Baker, registrar. Mrs. Alta Barnhizer, Mrs. Mark Crawford, Mrs. Harold Hoff, Mrs. Hee Mann, Mrs. Myron Wheldon, Mrs. Donald Wynne, Mrs. Howard Bronson, Mrs. Walter Waddelow. The chairman named the following committees for the new year: Organization—Mmes. Mann and Reid; camp—Mmes. Meeker and Waddelow; publicity—Mmes. Mills and Hoff; housing—Mmes. Price and Bronson; equipment—Mmes. Wynne and Crawford; finance—Mmes. Baker, Wheldon, Barnhizer and Allen. The annual cookie sale will be held the first of April. The local committee members and leaders have been invited to meet with the Oregon Girl Scout committee and leaders at Oregon on Monday evening. Byron committee women and leaders will also be present.

The Home Bureau met last week and elected the following officers for the 1941 season: Mrs. Ray Stonebraker, chairman; Mrs. C. H. Stengel, vice chairman; Mrs. Will Stengel, secretary. Mrs. O. A. Hanke has been named a member of the Ogle county board.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sawyer and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Schrader of Rock Island attended the funeral of E. M. Jenkins in Aurora Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hoffman attended the funeral of John Huss, Sr. at Freeport Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Ralph Sawyer entertained at a birthday dinner Wednesday, complimentary to her daughter, Miss Peggy. Following dinner the young ladies attended the theater. Guests included the Misses Jean and Bette Allen, Joan Strub, Esther Hedrick and Jeanne Smith.

Monday evening, Jan. 27, a group of friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Huttmann, east of town, to witness the showing of the technicolor pictures which were taken by Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bry on their recent 7,000-mile trip through Rocky Mountain National Park, General Grant park, Zion National park, Yosemite park, Sequoia park, the Bryce and Grand Canyons and, last but not least, the World's Fair in San Francisco. There were many "ohs" and "ahs" during the showing, for the pictures were most beautiful.

The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Ed Proske, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Steed and Jacqueline, Mr. and Mrs. William McNutt and Roy, Misses Jane Wingert and

Ora Lehman, Mrs. Zeb Wyatt and John Buck.

Church of the Brethren
Foster B. Statler, pastor
The unified service of worship and instruction convenes at 10:00 a. m. The pastor's sermon subject will be "Born of the Spirit".
The youth group meets in the evening at 8:00.

All adults are invited to the parsonage at 6:00 p. m. for an hour of mission study.

The Junior and Senior choirs will rehearse Thursday evening at 6:00 and 7:00 respectively.

The mid-week prayer service will be held Thursday evening at 7:00 at the Brethren home.

Methodist Church
William L. Manny, minister
The service of worship at 10 a. m. Sermon theme, "Democracy and Theology". All who attend this church, young or old, come at this hour. The youngest children are cared for in the nursery by Mrs. John Buck. Church school classes follow the worship period. D. Cameron Findlay is superintendent of the school.

The pastor's class of older children preparing for church membership will hold its first meeting at 2 p. m. Sunday afternoon. Succeeding meetings will be on week days.

Epworth League meeting at 6:30 p. m. The lesson announced for last week will be given this week by Miss Joann Thomson.

Monday, February 3—The young people of this church are sponsoring a roller-skating party at the Dome rink in the Dixon Assembly park.

Tuesday, Feb. 4—Official board meeting at the parsonage at 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday, Feb. 5—The Reading Circle of the Women's Society of Christian Service will meet at the home of Mrs. R. W. Hough at 2 p. m.

Thursday, February 6—Junior choir rehearsal at 6 p. m. and Senior choir rehearsal promptly at 7 p. m.

Trinity Lutheran Church
C. H. Hightower, pastor.
Program of activities beginning Sunday, Feb. 2:

Fourth Sunday after Epiphany 10:00 a. m.—The service and sermons.

11:15 a. m.—The church school.
2:00 p. m.—The instruction classes.

Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.—The church council meets.

Thursday—
2:30 p. m.—Ladies' Aid society meets at the church.

6:15 p. m.—Junior choir rehearsal; 7:00 p. m.—Senior choir rehearsal.

7:30 p. m.—The Prayer Circle meets.

You will find a hearty welcome at all services in this church.

French Indo-China and Argentina have joined the list of nations utilizing pure nickel coins, but in certain European countries nickel coinage has been discontinued.

Some laundry experts advise men to purchase socks one-half to three-fourths of an inch longer than the foot. Wool hose should be an inch longer.

The Bermuda government recently issued bright red 10-shilling notes. The traditional "10-bob" is green.

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Honor Roll
Oregon Community high school honor roll for the first semester is as follows:

Freshmen—Earl Cline, Wanda Kolpak, James Lamb, Jacqueline Logan, Alice Macy, Kenneth Mumma, Lucille Sell, Angela Seyster, Patricia Storey, Gerald Weyrauch, Audrey Zumhagen.

Sophomores—Glenn Chamberlain, Georgia Gossard, Stanley Kozuch, Joe Lewandowski, David Martin, Doris Miller, Harriet Robertson, Martha Samelson, Marilyn Wachlin.

Juniors—Wilber Cline, Leona Jourden, Charles Lamb, Hettie Logan, Billie Marie Phillips, Edith White.

Seniors—Martin Buse, Helen Calkins, Henry Paul, Maurice Sauer, Georgia Schneider, Richard Storey, Kathleen Swingley, Elizabeth Ulferts.

Post-graduate—Harriet Snyder.

New Bible Class Students

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Macy and daughter of Troy, Ohio, are spending several weeks at the home of Rev. and Mrs. S. E. Magaw while Mr. Macy is attending the second semester of the Church of God Bible Training school. Other new members of the school for the second semester are Miss Verneille Lawrence of Omaha, Neb., Robert Hardesty and Warren Knodle of Oregon.

Scout Leader
Mrs. John Hayden is the new leader of Oregon Girl Scout Troop No. 2.

Moved

Miss Gertrude Gilbert is now occupying the residence on North Sixth street which she had moved from Franklin street and remodeled.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex. Walters have moved to the Gilbert residence on North Fifth street which they purchased.

Returned to Hospital

Emmert Miller who spent several weeks in the early fall in the Dixon hospital and had one of his arms amputated, has returned to the hospital for further treatment.

Honored at Shower

Mrs. Ed Kinn and Mrs. Clarence Brown entertained at five tables of bunco and a shower Thursday afternoon in honor of

Mrs. Kinn's daughter, Mrs. Leroy Slick of Dixon.

Mrs. Arthur Funk of Freeport was a dinner guest Tuesday of Mrs. H. R. Beeson.

Coffee Club

Mrs. Joe Wanerka was hostess to the Friday afternoon coffee club today.

Transferred

Lieutenant Frank Laskos, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Laskos of Oregon has been transferred from Decatur to Camp Tuscola, near Tuscola, Ill.

Personals

David Maxwell, student of Lawrence college at Appleton, Wis., is home for the mid-semester vacation.

Mrs. Clyde Myers has received word of the birth of a son to her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Parker of Flint, Mich. Mrs. Parker is the former Betty Kieth.

Mrs. Ida Bechtold spent the week end with her daughter Viola in Aurora.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Dale visited Dr. and Mrs. T. B. Hersch in Lanark Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Nordman and daughter of Oak Park were week end visitors of the former's brother, Martin Nordman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Weber are in St. Louis where he is attending the annual meeting of the I. A. A.

Mrs. Ed Kinn, Mrs. Clarence Brown and daughter Shirley and Mrs. Ralph Kinn were in Dixon Wednesday to visit the former's son Melvin Kinn who has been ill from an attack of appendicitis.

MENDOTA
Mrs. Bertha Ossmaa
311 Seventh Avenue
Phone 266L

Miss Eileen Gillette, daughter of Mrs. Clara Gillette of Mendota became the bride of Ralph Orlow of Chicago in a quiet ceremony performed in that city on Saturday morning.

After the marriage which took place in St. Andrew's church a breakfast for the immediate relatives was held and later the young couple left on their honeymoon. They plan to make their home in Chicago.

Mrs. Oscar Moeller entertained her card club on Monday evening, taking them to a downtown tea room for a seven o'clock dinner.

In the card games that were played later at the Moeller home Mrs. Arthur Eckart, Mrs. John Walter, Mrs. Harry Sauer and

Miss Rose Truckenbrod were prize winners.

The next meeting of the club will be with Miss Truckenbrod.

Rev. Bernard A. Render, assistant pastor of Holy Cross church, was the guest speaker at the Lions club meeting on Monday evening.

Father Render, who spent some time as a street preacher spoke of his experiences in the Ozark mountains.

The men's club of the Methodist church were hosts at a 6:30 chicken supper on Tuesday evening.

Dr. Petit of Ottawa gave an illustrated lecture "South America and Our Stake in the Caribbean," which was greatly enjoyed by the good crowd in attendance.

The Kiwanis club of Mendota held their regular meeting on Monday noon.

On next Monday evening Ladies' Night will be observed and instead of the luncheon usually held there will be a 6:30 dinner in the Gold room of the Hotel Faber. A program and entertainment will follow the dinner.

The Epworth League of the Methodist church enjoyed a bobsled ride on Monday evening.

On their return to the church parlors lunch was served to the group in attendance.

George Weber of Rochelle was a Mendota visitor on Tuesday. Harold Wendt was a Dixon caller yesterday.

O. J. Ellingen transacted business in Aurora on Tuesday.

Robert Blass spent Tuesday evening in LaSalle.

Mrs. Walcott VanEtten and Mrs. K. W. Pohl attended the Marion Anderson recital in Chicago on Sunday afternoon.

Robert Ellingen was a visitor in Moline on Tuesday.

Rev. Father Garrahan of Arlington spent Monday evening in Mendota.

Arthur Zimmerman of near Welland and Gilbert Truckenbrod spent Wednesday in Springfield on business connected with the agricultural fair association.

Mrs. Gilbert Truckenbrod was hostess to her Wednesday afternoon bridge club at her home on Springfield avenue.

When the scores at the two tables were added, Mrs. R. C. Sonntag won first prize and Mrs. Roland Truckenbrod second, with Mrs. Ada Truckenbrod winning the traveling prize.

A dainty lunch was served after the games. The club's next meeting will be with Mrs. J. O. Heiniger.

The Graves public library and the two grade schools of Mendota will benefit under the terms of the will of the late John Johnson, who passed away a short time ago leaving an estate of \$30,750.

According to the report from Ottawa those who were remem-

bered in the will are Theresa Zolper, Lola Krause, the Rev. Birger Dahl of the First Methodist church, the trustees of the First Methodist church, August Krenz and Arthur Hof.

After these small bequests are made the residue of the estate is to be divided equally between the two schools mentioned and the library.

Mr. Johnson's wife preceded him in death and there are no close relatives.

"Teenettes"

The Teenettes club met at the home of Maxine Becker on Wednesday afternoon of this week. Plans were made for election of officers to be held at the next regular meeting.

Following the business meeting an interesting story was read by one of the members. Later in the afternoon games were played by the group, following which a lovely lunch was served. Patsy Frizol will be hostess at the next meeting.

Rudolph G. Schildberg, 58, suffered a fatal heart attack at his home on Wednesday morning at 2 o'clock.

Mr. Schildberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Schildberg, was born on Aug. 5, 1882, in Mendota. He was united in marriage to Alice Lintner of Lockport on October 8, 1907. He was a life-long resident of Mendota, being engaged in the grocery business here for a number of years. He was a member of the Zion Evangelical church.

The deceased leaves his widow, a daughter, Miss Josephine Schildberg of Chicago; a son, Paul Schildberg of Dixon; three brothers, Otto, Mendota, Theodore and Benjamin of Dixon; five sis-

ters, Mrs. Hanna Spath and Mrs. Mary Berge, Sterling, Mrs. Augusta Rife, Chicago, and Mrs. Martha Herbert of Mendota.

The Catholic Daughters of America sponsored a public card party on Wednesday evening in Holy Cross parish hall.

Prizes were awarded to Miss Harriet McIntyre and Wm. Mor-tonson in bridge, Frank Guilfoyle and Carolyn Eich in 500, Ann

Thells and Leo Guilfoyle in pin-achle and Charles Barr and Mrs. Mary Eich.

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FRIENDSHIP

Complete unity of aim is the traditional condition of genuine and sincere friendship.

—Cicero
Sweet is the scene where genial friendship plays.
The pleasing game of interchanging praise.

—Oliver Wendell Holmes
Pure humanity, friendship, home, the interchange of love, bring to earth a foretaste of heaven.

—Mary Baker Eddy
In love one has need of being believed, in friendship of being understood.

—Abel Bonnard
Life has no blessing like a prudent friend.

—Euripides
A friendship that makes the least noise is very often the most useful for which reason I should prefer a prudent friend to a zealous one.

—Addison

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

321 West Second street
Regular Sunday morning service at 11:00 o'clock. Subject, "Love."

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Children to the age of 20 are welcome. Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 8:00 o'clock. The reading room is open each week day from 2 to 4 p. m., except on holidays.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

R. W. Ford, minister
The church school meets at 9:30 a. m. with classes for all. Our school is graded and uses graded church school material.

The church meets for worship at 10:30 a. m. At this service the Lord's supper is observed every week to which all are invited, irrespective of church affiliations. This is the Lord's table—we do not debar. The choir, under the direction of Louis Leydig with the accompaniment of Miss Lois Fellows, will sing Noite's "O Sing Unto the Lord." The pastor will deliver a fourth sermon in the current series on great Christian convictions. The theme for this discussion will be "Man, the Unknown," dealing with the Christian conviction of the worth of man.

The young people will meet at 6:00 p. m. This will be the monthly guest night. A fellowship supper will be served followed by a devotional period. The remainder of the time will include a social period. The following activities for this church will take place next week:

Monday—February meeting of the church board.
Tuesday—The Missionary circle at the Loveland community house.
Wednesday—Mid-week service, 7:30 p. m.

Friday—There will be no choir rehearsal this week due to other arrangements.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Second street at Peoria avenue
Lloyd L. Blewfield, D. D., pastor
9:45 a. m.—The church school in

charge of General Superintendent Leon Garrison.

10:45 a. m.—The church worship service with a sermon by Dr. Blewfield on the subject, "Life's Master" and special music, as follows: The Junior choir will sing "A Beautiful Heaven," (Mauder); The Senior choir will sing "The Earth is the Lord's," (Hamilton); and Crawford Thomas will play as special organ numbers: "Canzona," (Scott), "Litania Solenne," (Edmundson) and "Te Deum Laudamus," (Clausen).

6:30 p. m.—The Epworth league. This is a service for young people led by young people.

7:30 p. m.—Evening church service. An informal service of fellowship and song in charge of the pastor. Dr. Blewfield will preach the second of a series of Bible-story sermons on the subject: "The Man who Meant No Harm."

Monday, 5:30 p. m.—Cooperative supper meeting of the Methodist H. S. Girls' society of Christian service at the home of Lois Blimling, 314 Sixth street.

Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.—Church family night supper and program.

7:30 p. m.—Church Family Devotional service in charge of the pastor.

6:30 p. m.—Monthly meeting of church board.

Thursday, 1:00 p. m.—W. S. C. S. executive board dessert luncheon meeting at the home of Mrs. W. E. Wilson, 319 Madison avenue.

DIXON STATE HOSPITAL
Service Sunday, Feb. 2, 3-15 p. m. Rev. R. W. Ford in charge.

ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Lloyd Warren Walter, D. D., pastor
8:00 a. m.—Early Divine worship.

9:30 a. m.—Bible school.
10:45 a. m.—Regular Divine worship.

6:00 a. m.—Intermediate Luther League.

Monday, 7:30 p. m.—The church council meets.

Tuesday, 6:30 p. m.—Workers' conference.

Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.—Senior Luther League meets.

Thursday, 2:30 p. m.—Ladies' Aid meets.

Saturday, 1:30 p. m.—Catechetical class meets.

Saturday, 2:00 p. m.—Children of the church meet.

BRETHREN CHURCH
William E. Thompson, pastor
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school; Edward Myers, superintendent.

11:00 a. m.—Divine worship. The theme used by the pastor will be "The Call to Youth."

7:00 p. m.—Departmental work. Samuel Zimmerman will lead the Open Forum. Mrs. Clyde Lenox will have charge of the Junior group and the Junior choir. The young people will meet in the B. Y. P. U.

7:45 p. m.—Everybody's service. Our Sunday evening service is of an evangelistic type, and the average attendance in our Sunday evening service has been above the 100 mark for the winter.

The Bible study next Wednesday evening will be led by Mrs. Edward Myers. The seventh chapter of Romans will be the lesson.

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521 Highland avenue
C. L. Wagner, pastor
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; Miss Grace Jacobs, superintendent.

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Morning worship at 10:40 with sermon by the pastor for the 4th Sunday after Epiphany.

The Wartburg League will meet Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid society, Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. The topic for discussion is "Dr. Grenfell: The Abundant Life for Labrador."

The leader in discussion, Mrs. Marcus Gonnemann. The hostesses for the day: Mrs. August Krug, Mrs. Herman Rammelt; Mrs. George Ryback.

Catechetical class Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Junior choir practice Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

ST. LUKE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

B. Norman Burke, rector
Sunday, Feb. 2:
8:00 a. m.—Holy communion.

9:30 a. m.—Church school.
10:45 a. m.—Choral Eucharist and sermon.

6:45 p. m.—High School Young People.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. J. H. Hughes, D. D., pastor
Bible school at 9:45 under the personal leadership of T. R. Mason, general superintendent. Each department is carefully graded to meet the needs of the individual.

At 10:45 and at 7:30 we have worship with preaching by the pastor. The vested choir will sing and Mrs. Hughes will be at the organ. Young people's meeting at 6:30 with Mrs. Lindell Miller in charge.

Wednesday evening is our mid-week service which begins at 7:30 with devotion and lecture by Dr. Hughes. Group conferences at 8:15.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

East Third street
at Galena avenue.
Rev. Herbert J. Doran, pastor
9:30 a. m.—Church school with classes for all ages.

10:45 a. m.—Morning worship. Theme, "Wolves in Sheep's Clothing."

6:00 p. m.—Senior Chapter Sigma Sigma Chi.

7:00 p. m.—Young people's supper for all young people.

Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.—Women's Auxiliary.

The pastor will attend the ministers' conference for post graduate study at the Chicago Theological Seminary next week.

DIXON GOSPEL TABERNACLE

Fifth street and Ottawa avenue
9:30 a. m.—Bible school.
10:45 a. m.—Morning worship.

6:30 p. m.—Young people's fellowship.

7:30 p. m.—Evangelistic service.

Our Bible school is such in fact as well as name and is equipped to serve the entire family.

The pastor will speak in the 10:45 service on the theme, "Our Christian Hope at Work." This will be a continuation of his series of expository messages on First

Thessalonians. We will hold monthly communion service at this time. In the evening service the songs, special music, testimonies, and message are all in harmony with the theme of evangelism.

The Young People of the Tabernacle are starting their new series of meetings Sunday evening at 6:30. The theme on that occasion will be "How We Got Our Bible." Byron Weidman will be in charge.

At present we are holding studies on Prophecy each Wednesday evening at 7:30 in the Tabernacle. This coming Wednesday the theme will be "How the Kingdom and the Church Differ."

Weekly prayer service each Friday evening at 7:30 in the Tabernacle. In addition, a cottage prayer meeting is held on Saturday evenings at 8:00.

FOUR SQUARE CHAPEL
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Crusader service at 6:30 p. m.—Those missing last Sunday, lost out on a big treat. Attend every meeting so we may become a blessing to one another.

Evangelistic service, 7:30 p. m. Subject: "The Last Call." Bring Bibles.

Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.—Prayer service.

Wednesday, 2:30 p. m.—Ladies' prayer meeting.

Friday, 7:30 p. m.—Bible study. Band practice also.

Monday, 7:30. February 3rd. Special speaker: Mrs. Howard P. Courtney, wife of the eastern district superintendent, will be with us. The public is cordially invited.

WEST SIDE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

313 Van Buren avenue
Rev. Theodore DeBoer, pastor
9:30 Sunday school. The lesson will be: "The Individual's Responsibility Regarding Beverage Alcohol." Classes and teachers for every age group. The junior choir will sing a special number.

10:45 Morning worship service. The minister will be with us next

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Sunday, Feb. 9. The senior choir will sing.

6:15 Combined junior and senior young people's clubs.

7:30 Evening service. The congregation, as well as the choir takes part in the services by joining in the singing.

Wednesday evening 7:30. It is expected that the pastor will be here to lead this service. Choir rehearsal at 8:30.

Friday after school the junior choir will practice.

Eldena Evangelical Church

Harold J. Dely, pastor
9:30 a. m.—Morning worship service. In keeping with the program of our Missionary society, we will be observing our Annual Day of Prayer for Missions. The message will be "Witnessing in Prayer".

10:30 a. m.—Church school. Frederick Glessner, superintendent.

Kingdom Evangelical Church

Harold J. Dely, pastor
10:00 a. m.—Church school. Frank Floto, superintendent.

11:00 a. m.—Morning worship service. In keeping with the program of our Missionary society, we will be observing our annual day of prayer for missions. The message will be "Witnessing in Prayer".

7:00 p. m.—Young People's League service. The discussion will be chapter three in the history of the Evangelical church—"The Era of Expansion." There will be special emphasis upon the founding of the Young People's League, which is observing its 60th birthday this year.

CHURCH OF GOD
West Morgan street
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Sermon at 11 o'clock. Subject: "Preach the Word." Elaine Randall will be the speaker.

The Dorcas society will meet Friday afternoon, Feb. 7 at the home of Mrs. F. Zbinden for Bible study.

BETHEL U. E. CHURCH
N. Galena and Morgan street
Rev. R. S. Wilson pastor
9:45 a. m. Bible school for all ages. Scovel Walker, Supt.

10:45 a. m.—Morning worship and sermon by the pastor. This is first of series of three messages on "All Round Church Member". First message has its subject—"The Relation of the Church Member to God".

6:30 p. m.—Junior, Intermediate and Senior Leagues meet simultaneously. All young people welcome.

7:30 p. m.—Evangelistic service. Pastor will bring a special message.

sage on subject, "A More Convenient Season".

Announcement for the week: Monday evening, Feb. 3. Bible study class 7:30 p. m.

Tuesday evening, Feb. 4. Senior League business and social meeting.

Wednesday evening, Feb. 5. Prayer services and choir rehearsal.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
L. O. O. F. hall, corner Galena and Second

Helen C. Peters, pastor
9:45 a. m. Bible school.
11:00 a. m. Divine worship with sermon by the pastor.

Cottage prayer meeting Wednesday evening, 7:30 p. m. at Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Woodruff's 1014 College. The Gospel of John third chapter will be the study. All are requested to bring their Bibles.

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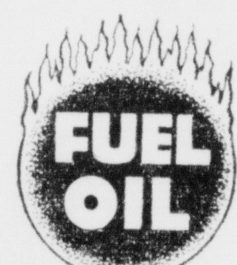
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—all because we have trimmed down their bumper-to-bumper length!

So if you

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GEORGE WASHINGTON SAID:

"Excessive partiality for one foreign na-
tion and excessive dislike of another cause
those whom they actuate to see danger only
on one side, and serve to veil and even second
the arts of influence on the other. Real pa-
triotism who may resist the intrigues of the
favorite are liable to become suspected and
opposed, while its tools and dupes usurp the ap-
plause and confidence of the people to sur-
render their interests." From the Farewell
Address.

Another National Defense Item

We can not vouch for the accuracy of all the
statements following, but present them for what
they are worth, and to suggest a way to give thou-
sands of young Americans fundamental training
in aviation.

You have heard many times of Herman Wil-
helm Goering, Hitler's right-hand man. The yarn
is that Goering was placed in charge of German
production by an allied reparations commission long
before Hitler took hanging paper. Goering was a
production expert.

While Goering was helping German industry
to reorganize so it could turn out reparations ma-
terials, the story says, he developed an idea for
outwitting the allies who had made Germany pledge
not to maintain military airplanes. Goering is said
to have organized gliding clubs throughout the
reich, and the result, according to this story, is that
Germany now has upwards of 30,000 highly trained
young nazis who can step from a glider into an air-
plane. So much for the story, which may or may
not be true.

In the United States we have not developed any-
thing like the gliding enthusiasm that actually was
developed in Germany. But we have more young
men, and they are better educated. If Germany
could organize and provide gliders for clubs total-
ing 30,000 members, the United States can double
the number.

Glider clubs, of course, ought to be sponsored
and supervised by thoroughly-trained experts to
hold accidents to a minimum. There would be ac-
cidents and even deaths. But we have the impres-
sion that a glider accident is not as likely to prove
fatal as an airplane crash, and a youth trained in
handling a glider ought to be easy to train to fly
a powered aircraft. Then he would be less likely
to have an airplane accident caused by faulty judg-
ment.

Perhaps we are misinformed about the Goering

• SERIAL STORY

CONSCRIPT'S WIFE

BY BETTY WALLACE

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YESTERDAY: Martha resigns
her job, sends for Bill and the
car. Living with Helen has one
advantage, she can see Bill each
week. She learns from another
Army wife that Bill is getting to
be a "guardhouse lawyer," argu-
mentative, uncooperative. Later
when Bill asks if she has seen
Paul, Martha realizes that he has
been nursing his jealousy. She
realizes that resigning her job
was futile. How can she drive
this jealousy out of Bill's mind?

MARTHA MAKES A DECISION

CHAPTER XXIII

MARTHA MARSHALL drove to
camp the following Sunday
with the same, heavy weight of
dread pressing on her that had
been with her all week. Bill's un-
reasoning jealousy must stop. In
some way, she must end it.

But how? Hadn't she done
everything a woman could do? She
blamed herself bitterly for not
having stuck to her resolve to stop
seeing Paul. Yet, was it her fault
he had insisted on coming to Bay-
ville that Friday night? Was it her
fault that Paul's being hurt had
so upset Suzanne she lost her head
and made a scene?

Driving into the now familiar
countryside, she did not see her
husband among the olive drab
trunks of waiting men who lined
the incoming cars. "Is he sulking?"
A tall man waved to her. Then
he was coming closer. She slowed
down. She recognized him now.
"Have you seen Bill?" It was Top
Sergeant Moore, the one Bill called
"the top kick"—Aggie Moore's
husband.

"The fact is, Mrs. Marshall," he
said slowly, "Bill's in the guard-
house."
"In the guardhouse?" All her
vague dread crystallized into
leaping fear. "But why? What
has he done? Is it serious?"
"Just a little disagreement over
discipline," the sergeant said. "We
try to go easy on the men. But—
well—looks like he's been begging
for it. I'm sorry."

She wondered, stabbingly, if
Aggie Moore had repeated any of
that conversation in the NCO club-
room. "May I see him?"
"Yes," he hoped up on the
running board. "Turn to your left
here. I'll fix it."

THE guardhouse was not espe-
cially sinister from the outside.
A soldier patrolled leisurely before
it. Almost, she expected him to
say, "Stop, and give the counter-
sign." He didn't.

Inside, there was a small bare
room, not very different from the
other rooms she had seen on the
post. Another soldier on duty nod-
ded when Sergeant Moore ex-
plained, and a moment later she

was sitting with Bill on a bench
and asking, "What happened, dar-
ling?"

Bill was sulky. "The Army's
idea of a cute stunt! Bread and
water stuff, as if I were a child!"
"Don't you want to tell me about
it?" she asked after a while. Out-
side the soldier on duty was rat-
tling a newspaper. She wondered,
in disjointed little flashes, whether
there were other prisoners in the
guardhouse; whether they were
all like Bill, sullen and surly;
whether some other girl would
come into this bare room, soon to
sit on a bench and try to be tact-
ful. "And I thought maybe to-
day I could talk him out of his
jealousy—maybe today we could
clear up this thing that has been
tearing us apart."

"There's nothing to tell," Bill
said curtly. "All I can say is that
it's a fine mess, all right. The
government sticks me out here in
a damn Army camp, to play at
dumb war games, while you—"

Her spine stiffened. "While I
what?"

She should not have said it. She
knew she shouldn't. But there
was only so much she could bear.
Bill wasn't thinking of her side of
this. He wasn't remembering that
she had come here to be with him.
To have this one day of happiness
in an otherwise empty week.

The trouble was, she saw clearly,
Bill had never looked at this
from her point of view at all.
Since the day his number was
called, he had not stopped to think
what it meant to her. Duty. That
morning the induction order came,
she had seen it as the govern-
ment exacting a duty of her as
well as of Bill.

Yet Bill himself had never seen
it like that. To him, it was some-
thing he bore while she went on as
before. While she—his voice was
saying it now, taking up her ques-
tion, flinging it back at her flatly.
"While you run around with
Paul!"

"I told you I haven't seen him.
Bill! I've told you until I'm dizzy
with it. I haven't. I haven't."

"It would be nice, if I could be-
lieve it."

SHE stared at him. Stared as if
she had never seen him before.
And she never had. Not this man.
Not this angry man with the
curled lip, the skeptical, chilly
eyes.

Something snapped in her mind
then. Something that had been
growing these last difficult weeks
until now it sprang forth, quiver-
ing and alive, but strong and full
nurtured. A decision. A de-
cision she had not even known she
was making.

"Bill Marshall, if you don't trust
me—if not that I can say has any

clubs in Germany, and maybe the conclusion we have
reached with regard to the advisability of having
glider clubs here is not sound, but the idea is worth
study.

Assert the Brotherhood of Man!

The very words, "brotherhood of man," sound
old-fashioned in the world of today.

It is true that no age and no country, perhaps,
ever accepted the phrase with complete literalness
in every implication. But at least lip-service was
given to the ideal, at least there was a sense of
shame in falling short of that glistening goal.

Today, however, there are whole governments
and systems based specifically on the rejection of
this universal brotherhood, based entirely on the
theory of "master" races to which the rest of us
owe obedience and virtual servitude. In times past,
the brotherhood of man was an as yet unattained
ideal, a shining goal from which men in their weak-
ness fell short. Today, in large sections of the
earth, the brotherhood of man is deliberately re-
jected.

We of the United States just as deliberately re-
ject the idea of a "master race." We believe in
men, in individuals; that the least of them is still
a man, and that the best of them can be no more
than that. On this ground our forefathers took
their stand, on this ground we stand today. We be-
lieve that ground is not only solid but holy ground.

The week of the birthday of Washington (Feb.
22-28) has been chosen this year for the annual
Brotherhood Week sponsored by the National Con-
ference of Christians and Jews, and President Roose-
velt has urged its observance "to purge our hearts
of all intolerance and to bind all our citizens in a
common loyalty."

As never before, this Brotherhood Week should
be marked by Americans to show the world how
utterly we reject racial doctrines which are to us
false and obnoxious. There is, thank God, in the
United States no dominant group which merely
"tolerates" others as a grudging duty. Every group
has its contribution to make to America, and our
strength lies in the combination of them all under
a common urge to create here a better society.

Some time during this Brotherhood Week, it
would be a fine thing if every person in the United
States would read to himself in quiet, or aloud to
another, these words from the call for the week's
observance:

"We affirm the inherent dignity of every
human being of whatever blood or creed. And,
beyond all the divisions of our imperfect so-
ciety, we assert the brotherhood of man."

A New Suit Every Year

Two chickens in every pot, two cars in every
garage, have vanished into history. Perhaps we
can now set ourselves a new goal and measure of
our national welfare.

A new suit for every man every year.
It doesn't sound excessive. Yet the average
man bought only a third of a suit in 1940. A New
England clothier recently told a convention of his
associates. In reverse English, Mr. Average Man
buys a suit of clothes only once in three years.

This doesn't mean that the American standard
of living is not still the highest in the world. It
simply means that there is still plenty of room for
improvement.

Whenever you hear that horse race betting has
been stopped, don't bet on it!

NEWS
BEHIND
THE NEWS
By PAUL MALLON

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Washington, Jan. 31—Hitler's
double-dealing is at the root of
the murderous turmoil in Roma-
nia.

A dictatorial censorship has
been keeping the facts from the
world. All that is being presented
is a confusing blur of events in
which Hitler's old iron guardsmen
appear to be shooting Hitler's
Antonescuan and vice versa, with
the Communists firing a few silent
pistols in the background.

But there are ways of getting
around even that censorship. These
straighten out the cockeyed situa-
tion something like this:

Hitler rode behind the iron guard
only as long as it served his
purposes to overthrow King Carol.
What he now wants is Romanian
oil and wheat. The only way he
can get them is to keep the coun-
try working and the only public
man who can deliver them for him
is Antonescu. So he is now back-
ing the premier dictator against his
former friends.

Of course, it would not be above
Hitler to be also furnishing a
few shooting pistols on the side
to the guardsmen. By promoting
inner strife he would have an ex-
cuse to take nominal control of a
government which he is already
guarding with 150,000 German
troops (mark this figure well; it
is authoritative.) While such dual
deceit is always possible in the
nazi way of business, it is ex-
tremely unlikely in this particular
instance. For once, Hitler wants a
neighbor to be orderly—and pro-
ductive.

Antonescu is an army general
who disagreed with Carol and
was permitted to retreat to a
villa prison the last two months of
Carol's regime. At heart he is
pro-Romanian (rather than nazi)
trying to make the best of a
tough situation. His position is
precisely that of Pétain in
France. The presence of 150,000
German troops assures his loyalty
to Germany, but Hitler has not
been exercising any detailed con-
trol over his actions—as long as
the wheat and oil keep coming.

The iron guardsmen who re-
volted nothing but a wild mob.
Their only good leaders were
killed off by Carol in retaliation
for their assassination of Carol's
Prime Minister Calinescu. Roma-
nia is divided into 72 divisions,
corresponding to our states. Car-
ol's government admitted going
through jails loaded with guards-
men and choosing three from each
state for execution giving prefer-
ence to leaders. This official
calculation would make 216 shot.
The total was probably nearer
400.

The purge left the iron guard in
control of scattered hood-
lums. Hitler was naturally agree-
able to double-crossing them in
favor of the strong man who can
deliver for him—as long as he can
deliver.

The Communies get into the pic-
ture through the back door as
well as the front. They are a
motley combination of Commun-
ist and nazi theories. The guard
movement includes moderates,
radicals, extremists, communists
and what not. The present leader,
Sima, is supposed to be a moder-
ate, but he is on the run. Every
faction in Romania except the
guards has been looking for
him since he was twice reported
executed and then later escaped
to Germany. His mob wishes to
make trouble because they think
Hitler should have let them run
the current show, and also be-
cause mark this well—Russia
has been inciting them to revolt.
Stalin is making a little sub-
stance in his axis partner in
the Romanian field.

Thus does throat-slitting march
its way in Carol's Graustark.

Happy Birthday

JANUARY 31
W. T. Sutton; Russell B. Cra-
mer; Mrs. Edward Wickert; Bet-
ty Jane Kreitzer.

FEBRUARY 1
Mrs. Ruth Crawford, Miss Esther
Crawford, Clinton C. Buckle, R.
Reynolds, Shirley Houston, route
3, Ward Senn, route 4; Fred N.
Vaughan, Amboy; Junior Myroth,
Rochelle; Roland Williams, Sublette;
Joel Lehman, Harmon; Donald Koester,
Amboy.

FEBRUARY 2
John McBride, St. Harry Lamb-
ert, Wilbur Ransom, route 2; Alice
Miller; Elcie Langhoff, route 2;
Mary Torti, route 4; Warren Thomas,
route 1; Billy Reigle, route 1; Elmer
Stouffer, Sublette.

Armistice in Thailand-
French Indo-China Dis-
pute is Signed Today

Saigon, French Indo-China, Jan.
31—(AP)—With Japanese mili-
tary mediators looking on and a
Japanese naval force standing by,
representatives of Thailand (Siam)
and French Indo-China signed an
armistice at 6 p. m. (6 a. m. C.
S. T.) today, ending four months
of intermittent fighting along
their common border.

The pact merely established the
positions of the opposing forces,
pending peace negotiations under
Japanese mediation at Tokyo. It
was said by participating officials.

(To Be Continued)

WILLKIE WALKS
AND TALKS WITH
"MAN IN STREET"

Has His Way and Pays
Unescorted Call to
Pubs of London

By EDDY GILMORE

London, Jan. 31—(AP)—Wen-
dell L. Willkie had his way yester-
day paying an unescorted call
on London's oft-quoted man-in-
the-street and man-in-the-pub,
drinking and talking with the
"boys" and playing darts—the
last with a losing score.

The American visitor jammed
considerable of London into his
tour. He is curtailing his visit,
starting for home next week.

He said he would be "delighted"
to appear before the United
States Senate committee hearing
on the aid-to-Britain bill when he
was told that Senator Nye, isolation-
ist leader, had said Willkie
should be heard.

At one place Willkie visited, the
public house (saloon) proprietor,
Harry Phillips, watched Willkie
play darts with a leading laborer
and, in celebration of the occasion,
broke out a bottle of 1929 cham-
pagne.

The man easily defeated Willkie
who commented: "This guy's too
good".

Then the champagne was pro-
duced.

"I was going to keep this for
Armistice Day," the pub proprie-
tor said. "But you are as good as
Armistice Day and we'll open the
bottle together".

Gets "Good Information"
The dart-throwing laborer stood
by, unable to comprehend his
victory.

"Blimey! I'm going all interna-
tional," he said.

At the first place visited, also a
pub, Willkie was readily recogniz-
ed by a group of soldiers and other
customers. The proprietor invited
him behind the bar.

Willkie ordered a round of beer
for the "boys" and then, at their
suggestion, he pulled the tap and
served.

He talked with all of them
about war living conditions and
allied topics.

Laborers jammed in at the
bar and the bigger the crowd,
the bigger Willkie's smile.
"Step up, boys," he invited.

As he made ready to lunch with
Lord Simon, the Lord Chancellor,
Willkie commented:

"Yes, sir, I'm getting some
good information".

Years Ago

(From Dixon Telegraph)

Edmund Neville has purchased
the interests of his partner, Joseph
A. Prindaville, in the store at
110 First street.

The West Side Congregational
church will be dedicated Sunday
by the Rev. James Tompkins.
Alonso J. Gage is a popular can-
didate for alderman in the second
ward.

23 YEARS AGO

Miss Vivian Stiles of Steward
has been secured as teacher in
the sixth grade of the North Dix-
on school replacing Miss Knight.

County Superintendent of
Highways L. B. Neighbour favors
bond issue for building improved
roads in Lee county.
Eight car loads of silk worms,
valued at about a quarter of a
million dollars, passed through
Dixon over the Northwestern
Saturday morning.

10 YEARS AGO

Charles W. Brilerton, well
known farmer, died last night
at his home east of Dixon.

R. Allen Stephens, secretary of
the Illinois Bar Association, will
address the annual mid-winter
meeting of the Lee County Bar
Association this evening.

96,500 People Killed
in Auto Accidents in
1940, Report Reveals

Chicago, Jan. 31—(AP)—The
National Safety Council reported
today that 96,500 persons were
killed in accidents in the United
States last year.

Another 9,100,000 were injured.
It estimated the economic loss,
including medical expense, prop-
erty damage, lost wages and the
overhead cost of insurance, at
\$3,500,000,000.

The council said the 1940 toll
was four per cent—or almost 4-
million lives—greater than it was in
1939.

This was the first increase over
a preceding year since 1936, but
the council said it was far from
the highest on record. In 1936
there were 110,052 deaths.

The death rate per 100,000 popu-
lation in 1940 was computed at
73.2. Since 1900 there have been
only eight years with lower rates.

Half of the 1940 increase, the
council said, came from traffic
accidents, with occupational acci-
dents accounting for most of the
remainder.

Domestic production of crude
petroleum for 1940 is estimated at
1,354,423,000 barrels, as against
a total of 795,318,000 barrels for
the rest of the world.

There are 92 cities in the U. S.
with populations of 100,000 or
more, according to the 1940 cen-
sus. The 1930 census listed 93
cities in that class.

Strikes in Dayton
and San Diego Are
Reported Settled

San Diego, Calif., Jan. 31—
(AP)—An agreement to end a
strike at the Martinoli Boat Co.,
where work on five navy vessels
had been halted, was reached
early today.

The 160 men who quit work
yesterday returned to duty at 8
a. m., said Jack Poteet, official
of the Building Trades Council.

Poteet said the agreement in-
cluded a wage scale similar to
that prevailing in the San Pedro-
Wilmington area and also estab-
lishment of the union shop.

The agreement was reached af-
ter Harry C. Malcolm, federal
conciliator, flew here from Los
Angeles and brought union and
company representatives to-
gether.

New Dayton Dispute

Dayton, Ohio, Jan. 31—(AP)—
Construction workers were or-
dered back to their jobs on Wright
Field's \$1,550,000 expansion pro-
ject today, but a new labor dis-
pute threatened to tie up deliv-
ery of materials to the Army
Air Corps testing laboratory and
Dayton factories working on gov-
ernment contracts.

The two-day strike of A. F. of
L. building trades unionists en-
ded last night and the federal me-
diator assigned to settle it remain-
ed here to "do something about"
a walk-out of 1,500 truck drivers
scheduled to start at midnight to-
night.

The mediator, Michael J. Cro-
setto, announced that the war de-
partment had ordered Col. Lester
T. Miller, Wright Field command-
ant, to suspend, "pending further
investigation", an electrical
project which was the center of
the construction dispute affecting
400 to 500 men.

Conference Tonight

John E. Breidenbach, business
manager of the Dayton Building
Trades Council, called the strike
in protest against employment of
four non-A. F. of L. men by the
Penner Installation Co. of New
York.

Crossetto announced he was
calling officials of the Dayton
Transportation Club and of the
A. F. of L. International Brother-
hood of Teamsters, Chauffeurs,
& Warehousemen into a confer-
ence this evening in an effort to
avert the trucking strike.

David Finn, union agent, said
the club, an employers' organi-
zation, rejected demands for 10-
cent-an-hour increases and a one-
year contract. He said the club
proposed a five-cent raise and a
three-year contract.

Counter Drive of
Greek Force Bogs
Down in Deep Snow

By E. D. BALL

New York, Jan. 31—(AP)—
Greece's counter-offensive against
Italian legions, off to a whirlwind
start through Albania's frosty
mountains in November, has all
but bogged down in winter's
snows.

Daily war bulletins from Athens
have told of continued Greek suc-
cesses, but the battle lines have
changed little since the surprising
gains in the first eight weeks of
the war.

True, swirling snows and bitter
cold have slowed the operations,
but it was just such conditions
that the Greeks said would aid
their hardy troops against fascists
unaccustomed to severe winter
fighting.

Natural mountaineers, the
Greeks also have benefited from
their knowledge of the wild coun-
try of eastern Albania, hardly
suitable for Mussolini's highly-
mechanized army. But the main
fighting still is in the mountains
and the snows still are there.

Today's Battle Line

Roughly, here is the way the
battle line looks today:

From Lin, near the Yugoslav
border on Lake Ochrida, it runs
south to a point west of Pogradetz,
then bulges toward the central
Albanian town of Berat, curves
southeast again, then runs south-
westward above Kilsura, through
Tepeleni and to the Adriatic coast
a few miles south of Valona.

Thus the Greeks in the Novem-
ber and December advances,
pushed the Italians out of
about one-fourth, or some 2,500
square miles in the southeastern
part of the 10,629-square mile
country. It Duze wrested from
King Zog in April, 1939.

The Greeks have been aided by
the British air force and by the
British fleet, the latter having
broken into the Adriatic to blast
at Valona. The British also have
occupied the island of Crete, from
which to carry out blockade op-
erations, especially against the
strongly-fortified Italian-owned
Dodecanese islands in the Aegean.

Snite Assists Another
Victim of Dread Polio

Miami, Fla., Jan. 31—(AP)—
Fred Snite, Jr., a famed infantile
paralysis victim, has come to the
aid of another suffering from
that dread disease.

His entire staff of technicians,
nurses and physicians has been
placed at the disposal of Steve
Happney, 24-year-old Miami elec-
trician who, for three months,
has been an occupant of the bol-
ter-type iron lung.

HOLD EVERYTHING



"My daughter has kept you waiting almost an hour,
young man—if I were you I'd leave now and teach her
a lesson!"

Wide-Open Battle
in GOP Committee
May Feature Vote

Washington, Jan. 31—(AP)—
Representative Joseph E. Martin's
decision to resign as chairman of
the Republican National Commit-
tee brought signs today of a wide-
open fight which may have vital
bearing on Wendell L. Willkie's
future status in the party.

Martin announced yesterday he
had called a committee meeting
for March 24 and said he would
resign at that time.

Although he appeared firm in
his decision, some high ranking
party leaders said immediately
that they would try to persuade
him to retain the post until the
1942 congressional campaign, in
order to forestall an intra-party
fight over the chairmanship.

A dozen Republicans were men-
tioned as possible successors to
Martin, who was chosen chairman
for the 1940 campaign with the
approval of Willkie and virtually
all party factions.

While Willkie undoubtedly will
seek the election of a chairman
sympathetic with his views, party
members opposing his support of
the British aid bill have declared
they would fight for a man of
their own choosing.

One well-informed leader said
today that the election of a new
chairman would indicate whether
Willkie was to be regarded "as
the

Society News

NUMEROUS DIXON FAMILIES TO BE IN NEW HOMES SOON; GENERAL EXODUS, UNDERWAY

Now that 1941's nearly a month old, Dixon folk are finding that they've a number of changes to jot down in their old address books, and a number of new entries to make in their new ones. Not in a long time, has there been such extensive pre-occupation with moving, nor so many well-liked families leaving town at one time.

Among the first to leave were Mrs. August Wimpleberg and her three children, Janet, Barbara and Charles, who set out by motor this morning on a journey that will take them to Shelbyville, Tenn., a destination that will be attracting several other Dixon families directly concerned with Camp Forrest.

Last evening, Mr. and Mrs. George Knouse were entertaining with a 7 o'clock dinner for the travelers. Other guests included Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Miller and son, Billy, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Miller, and Miss Frances Kelley of Franklin Grove. Mrs. Wimpleberg, whose husband, captain of Company A, 129th Infantry, Illinois National Guard, is already in the south, completing a training course, and the couple's children were overnight guests of Mrs. Lex Hartzell.

Tomorrow morning will see three families—the Burl Lepirds, C. W. Snaveley, and John Grays, setting out for Joliet, where the men have assumed charge of various departments at Geissler Brothers' bakery.

The Lepirds expect to have little difficulty in remembering their new address, 511 East Third, as only one numeral is different from their present number, 111 East Fellows. Mr. and Mrs. Lepird came to Dixon from Ft. Wayne, Ind. about 12 years ago.

A number of informal dinner parties have been given in courtesy to Mrs. Lepird, and this afternoon, her daughter, Elinore, will be honored at an after-school roller skating party arranged by her classmates in the seventh grade room of the North Central school. Elinore's brother, Billy, will be saying goodbye to friends in the North Central Cub pack, at a boys' party tonight. Following the sled ride, the den members will climax the evening's fun with a party in the recreation room of the Earl Slagle home.

The James Borts and their little daughter, Paula, who came to Dixon from Mt. Pleasant, Iowa about a year ago, have leased the Lepird home. The Borts have been residing at 620 North Gaena avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Snaveley, who have been residing at 903 East Chamberlin, are also former Iowans, having come here from Des Moines about three years ago.

Mrs. F. A. Hanson was entertaining at dinner for Mrs. Snaveley and her two children, Robert Carl and Ruth Anne, Wednesday evening, and tonight, the family will be dinner guests of the Ray Herberts.

The Snaveley's new home is located at 1814 May street in Joliet. Both Mrs. Snaveley and Mrs. Lepird are well-known vocalists, having sung with the Dixon Women's club chorus and St. Paul's Lutheran choir.

Mr. and Mrs. Gray will occupy a duplex at 219 Willow avenue in Joliet. Last evening Mrs. Gray, who has been an active member of the Service club, was complimented at a bridge party arranged by the club.

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SPECIAL PROGRAM FOR WEEKLY SING

Louis Leydig will act as leader, and Mrs. Leydig will be at the piano, for the weekly community sing at the Loveland Community House, Sunday afternoon. The program which is to be presented in the west lounge, beginning at 3 o'clock, will include vocal solos by Mrs. I. B. Potter, and a reading by Mrs. F. L. Blewfield. The new song books will be used.

HOUSEHOLD CLUB

Women of the Zion Household Science club will entertain their families 6 o'clock oyster supper at 6:30 o'clock Monday evening at the Clifford Poisel home. Plans for the supper were discussed yesterday, when the club members were guests at a scramble luncheon at the home of Mrs. Joseph. Geiger at Rock Falls.

The group sewed carpet bags for their hostess yesterday, and were interested in a devil's food cake demonstration presented by Mrs. Geiger. Mrs. Max Genz explained her method of making seven-minute icing.

Mrs. Howard Sweitzer of Dixon is to be hostess at the next regular meeting of the club, Feb. 27.

FRIDAY FOSS

Miss Margaret Foss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Foss of Chana, and Gertis D. Friday, son of the Henry Fridays of Ashton, were married at 8 p. m. Tuesday at the Ebenezer Reformed church, south of Byron. The Rev. George W. Bonte read the nuptial service.

Miss Irma Friday of Rochelle, the bridegroom's sister, and Ray Foss, brother of the bride, attended the couple.

After Feb. 1, the couple will be at home on the Robert Gibson farm in the Washington Grove community.

READING CIRCLE

Mrs. Charles Mumma was hostess to members of the Thursday Reading circle yesterday afternoon. Mrs. L. W. Miller reviewed chapters from the book, "The Wave of the Future" by Anne Lindbergh.

Discussion and refreshments followed the book review. The next hostess is to be Mrs. Bertha Pratt, who will entertain at Mrs. Mumma's home.

Calendar

Saturday
Past Matrons club, O. E. S. — Tea room luncheon; bridge at Community House.
Children of St. Paul's Lutheran church — At church, 2 p. m.

Sunday
Community sing — West lounge, Loveland Community House, 3-4 p. m.
Monday
O. E. S. Parlor club — Desert-bridge, 2 p. m.
Monday Nighters — Mrs. Frank Ortigiesen, hostess.
Beta Sigma Phi, Gamma Mu chapter — At Loveland Community House.
Girl Scout council — At the home of Mrs. W. A. McNichols, 9 a. m.
Mother's club — Benefit card party, Loveland Community House dining room, 8 p. m.
Zion Household Science club — Will have family oyster supper at Clifford Poisel home, 6:30 p. m.
Dixon circle, Ladies of G. A. R. — In G. A. R. hall, 7:30 p. m.

Tuesday
Phidian Art club — Mrs. W. A. McNichols, hostess.
Friendly Eight — Mrs. Charles Laidig, hostess.
Palmyra Reading circle — Mrs. Paul Black, hostess, 7:30 p. m.
Baldwin auxiliary, United Spanish War Auxiliary — In G. A. R. hall, 7:30 p. m.

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Monte Carlo Party Promises Evening of Gayety for Elks

Quite the zippiest event of which next week may be proud is the Monte Carlo party which Elks and their ladies are anticipating for Wednesday evening. Although there will be no titled nobility at the clubhouse on that date, party guests plan to disregard the national debt (to say nothing of income taxes) and have pledged generous patronage to the many booths which will claim their attention.

Wednesday evening's party will be the first Monte Carlo event at the clubhouse, and the committee assures a gathering dedicated to gayety. The "guards" have promised to remove the "gratings" from the doors not later than 7:30 to permit opening of the attractions, which will include many interesting innovations for the lodge members and their ladies.

BERG-PATTON

Mr. and Mrs. John Irvin Patton of Ashton are making known the marriage of their only daughter, Adella, to Charles William Berg, Jr., son of Charles W. Berg of Rockford, Saturday, at the home of Dr. Allen, pastor of the First Baptist church of Rockford. Witnessing the ceremony were the bride's parents; her four brothers, William, Maynard, Raymond and Floyd, and Mrs. Clarence Beach and daughter Charlene.

The bride wore a black street-length dress with white accessories.

A wedding supper was served at the home of the bride's parents, one mile south of Ashton. The couple are at home at 1101 East State street, Rockford.

Mr. Berg was graduated from Marengo high school. The bridegroom, who is a graduate of Rockford high school, is with the Commercial Platers, Inc., of Rockford.

COMPTON TO HAVE NINTH HOBBY SHOW

Saturday, March 29, has been selected as the date for the ninth annual Hobby Show at Compton. Nearly 600 guests visited the show last year.

The exhibit this year will include departments for school children, home and women's sections, art, coins, stamps, sports, photography, curios, and miscellaneous articles. Additional suggestions will be welcomed.

WAR MOTHERS

The Lee county chapter of World War Mothers met at the home of Mrs. Viola Strub yesterday to sew for British War Relief and to install two newly-elected officers. Mrs. Strub was installed as secretary, and Mrs. Clea Bunnell, as treasurer, by Mrs. Brand, a past president, assisted by Mrs. Lucy Eastman, sergeant at arms.

Mrs. Cora Etheridge conducted the business meeting. A scramble luncheon was planned for Feb. 20 at the home of Mrs. Mayne Atkins, honoring a War Mother's birthday anniversary. A Lincoln-Washington program will be presented.

POST-NUPTIAL PARTY
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Seagren, recently married, were honored at a post-nuptial shower Thursday afternoon at the Loveland Community House. Mrs. Walter Levan and Mrs. James Sherry were entertaining.

Tables were placed for card games, with Mrs. Day Welty, Miss Irene Gerdes, and Mrs. Lauren Henry receiving honors in 500, and Mrs. Glenn Boos and Mrs. Bernice Spoff winning prizes at bunco.

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MRS. GOEKE IS PARTY HOSTESS

Mrs. O. F. Goeke's party tables reflected the Valentine season in their pink and white appointments, when she entertained at luncheon and bridge the past two days. Her guests numbered 12 on both occasions.

Pink and white carnations and snapdragons were a decorative note for this late-January party series. Mrs. F. W. Lynch, Mrs. A. H. Lancaster, and Mrs. Grover Gehant were awarded gift packages when yesterday's score tallies were compared.

OREGON WOMAN REACHES 86

Mrs. B. H. Thomas of 909 South Fort Street, Oregon, has arranged a family dinner for Sunday, honoring the eighty-sixth birthday anniversary of her mother, Mrs. Esther Fruin. Children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren of Mrs. Fruin will be included on the guest list.

DINNER PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Jones entertained at dinner Wednesday evening, honoring Julio Fidalgo of Monterey, Mexico, former student at Eureka college. The guest of honor leaves soon for Urbana to attend the University of Illinois.

Following dinner, the group attended the theater, and returned to the Jones home, where John Dewey and Ward Butler of Sterling showed slides of their western trip. Mr. and Mrs. Jones, who recently returned from a vacation trip in Mexico, showed souvenirs, and gave an account of their stay "south of the border".

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

Mrs. Lester Ommen was entertaining unexpected guests last evening, when friends met for a surprise celebration of her birthday anniversary. A basket supper and gifts were brought by the guests, including Mrs. Catherine Schreiber and daughter Phyllis, and Harold Highy.

VISITS PARENTS

Robert D. Stitzel, who attends the University of Illinois School of Dentistry in Chicago, has been spending the mid-semester vacation with his parents, the Earle Stitzels of Nelson. He expects to return to Chicago Saturday.

BRIDGE GUESTS

Mrs. Robert C. Brewster entertained a small party of friends at bridge last evening.

PRACTICAL CLUB VIEWS ANTIQUES FOR ROLL CALL

Antiques, ranging from buttons and dishes to pictures, castors, watches, scarfs and collars, were displayed during roll call when members of the Practical club were entertained Tuesday at the home of Mrs. C. A. Mellott, Fourteen members were present, and Mrs. Claude Murphy of Miami, Fla., was a visitor.

"Hobbies" were discussed in a paper read by Mrs. L. E. Smith. Stamp collecting and glassware were two hobbies mentioned by Mrs. Smith.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by her mother, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Smith poured. Mrs. Carl Buchner will entertain the club, Feb. 11.

PHIDIANS WILL HEAR ARABIAN-BORN SPEAKER

Phidian Art club members will be listening to the Arabian-born relative of a Dixon man, when they meet at the home of Mrs. W. A. McNichols, Tuesday afternoon. The speaker is to be Paul Harrison, son of a medical missionary to Arabia and cousin of H. C. Warner.

POLO STUDENT IS HONORED

Velva Gatz is to have the honor of representing Polo Community high school in the annual Good Citizenship Pilgrimage contest of Daughters of the American Revolution. Winners of the contest will be awarded a trip to Washington, D. C., as guests of the D. A. R.

MONDAY NIGHTERS

Monday Nighters will be dinner guests of Mrs. Frank Ortigiesen, Monday evening.

HOSTESS CLUB IS ENTERTAINED

Members of the Hostess club made up four tables for contract, Wednesday evening, as guests of the Wilson F. Walkers of 1002 Leoria avenue. The Valentine motif was maintained throughout, with refreshments following the games.

Those sharing favors at the close of play were Mr. and Mrs. David Crawford, Mrs. Edwin V. Merrick, Jr., and Thomas Erwin. The Paul Blacks will entertain in February.

PALMYRA CIRCLE

Mrs. Paul Black of 204 1/2 Lincoln Way will be hostess Tuesday to members of the Palmyra Reading circle. Mrs. Charles Redbaugh will review the eighth chapter of the book, "They Broke the Prairies", and Mrs. Black will discuss "The Rediscovery of Man".

BALDWIN AUXILIARY

Members of Baldwin Auxiliary, United Spanish War Veterans, will meet at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening in the G. A. R. hall.

DIXON CIRCLE

Dixon circle, No. 73, will meet at 7:30 o'clock Monday evening in the G. A. R. hall.

ENTERTAINS BOARD

Miss Alice Meppin entertained at dinner last evening for board members of Wa-Tan-Ye.

Bases of public street clocks in Berlin contain an ambulance compartment in which first aid supplies are kept.

In some sections of northern Africa, date seeds, or stones, are roasted and used as a substitute for coffee.

More than 100,000 species of beetles are known to mankind.

PERSONALS

Mrs. A. P. Corbin has been confined to her home by illness. Mrs. Herbert Scott has been ill, suffering from influenza.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY. Change in train schedules effective Tuesday, Feb. 4. For full particulars see Ticket Agent. Adv.2611

Mrs. Lydia E. Parks has been ill at her home on East Boyd street for the past ten days. Clyde Taylor has been ill at his home since Sunday.

Mrs. Irene Fenton will return Tuesday from a visit with relatives in Houston, Tex.

The condition of Mrs. Charles J. Roshbrook, who is a patient at the Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital remains about the same.

Harry Beard and Miss Margaret McCoy returned home last night from Chicago where they attended the spring style show.

Fred Gross of Franklin Grove was in Dixon this morning on business.

Seth Anderson and son of East Grove township were business callers in Dixon yesterday afternoon.

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UNITIZED KNEE-ACTION	YES	NO	NO	YES	NO	NO
BOX-GIRDER FRAME	YES	NO	NO	YES	NO	NO
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TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

Markets at a Glance		333	10.50
New York:	188	1.10	10.15
Stocks mixed; early rally fal-			
ters.	45	133	5.75
Bonds irregular; some rails ad-	10	108	4.00
vance.			
Foreign exchange quiet; free	20	1325	12.60
sterling dips.	40	1080	11.40
Cotton higher; textile activity			
encouraged support.	18	920	10.00
Sugar improved; raw and re-			
fined markets firmer.	15	775	9.00
Metals steady; tin futures ad-			
vance further.			
Wool tops firmer; short cov-			
erings and trade buying.			
Chicago:			
Wheat steady, trading slow.			
Corn slow, steady.			
Hogs slow, 25-40 lower; top			
\$15.			
Cattle very dull, meager sup-			
ply.			

Chicago Cash Grain	
Chicago, Jan. 31—(AP)—Cash	
grain: wheat No. 1 hard 89 1/4;	
No. 2, 88 3/4-89; No. 2 mixed 89.	
Corn: No. 5 mixed 56-59; No. 2	
yellow 64 1/2; No. 3 64 1/2-65; No.	
4, 58-61 1/2; No. 5, 56 1/2-58 1/2; sam-	
ple grade white 51-55 1/2.	
Oats: No. 1 red heavy 37 1/2;	
No. 1 mixed heavy 38; No. 1	
mixed extra heavy 37 1/2; No. 1	
white heavy 38 1/2; No. 3 white	
37 1/2; No. 3 white heavy 38-38 1/2;	
sample grade white 37 1/2.	
Barley: Malting 56-66 nom;	
feed 42-52 nom; No. 1 malting	
63; No. 2 malting 57-60.	
Soybeans: No. 2 yellow 90; No.	
3, 89 1/2-90 1/2; No. 4, 91 1/2-92 1/2.	
Field seed per hundredweight	
nominal:	
Timothy 4.00; alfalfa 9.50-12.00;	
fancy red top 7.50-8.00; red clover	
8.00-10.00; sweet clover 3.50-	
4.00.	

Chicago Grain Table	
(By The Associated Press)	
Open High Low Close	
WHEAT	
May 82 1/2 82 1/2 82 1/2 82 1/2	
July 76 1/2 76 1/2 76 1/2 76 1/2	
Sept 76 1/2 77 76 1/2 86 1/2	
CORN	
May 61 1/2 61 1/2 61 1/2 61 1/2	
July 61 1/2 62 61 1/2 61 1/2	
Sept 61 1/2 61 1/2 61 1/2 61 1/2	
OATS	
May 36 36 35 35 1/2	
July 32 32 32 32 1/2	
Sept 32 32 31 31 1/2	
SOYBEANS	
May 94 1/2 95 94 1/2 95 1/2	
July 91 1/2 92 91 1/2 91 1/2	
Sept 91 1/2 92 91 1/2 91 1/2	
RYE	
May 43 1/2 44 1/2 43 1/2 43 1/2	
July 45 1/2 45 1/2 44 1/2 44 1/2	
Sept 45 1/2 46 1/2 45 1/2 45 1/2	
LARD	
Mar 6.40 5.42 6.40 6.42	
BELLIES	
May 11.10	

Chicago Produce
Chicago, Jan. 31—(AP)—Potatoes, arrivals 77; on track 423; total US shipments 917; old stock supplies heavy; demand light; market about steady on best stock; Idaho russet Burbanks US No. 1, 1.40-1.55; Nebraska bliss triumphs US No. 1, 1.40-1.45; Minnesota and North Dakota cobbles 85-90 per cent US No. 1, 1.00-1.05, bliss triumphs 70-75 per cent or more US No. 1, 85-91.25; Wisconsin round whites US No. 1, 90; new stock supplies moderate; demand very slow; market dull and weak; Florida bushel crate bliss triumphs US No. 1, 1.50-1.65.
Poultry live, 27 trucks; small hens easier, plymoutheer chickens firmer; hens, 5 lbs and under 18; broilers, 2 1/2 lbs and down, plymoutheer 18; springs under 4 lbs plymoutheer 20 1/2; other prices unchanged.
Butter, receipts 693,256; steady, creamery 90 score 29 1/4; other prices unchanged.
Eggs, receipts 10,441; steady; fresh graded extra firsts local 17 1/4; cars 17 1/4; first local 17; cars 17 1/4; other prices unchanged.
Butter futures, storage stds Feb 28.95; Mar 28.70; Nov no sales.
Egg futures, fresh graded first Feb 17.50; refrigerated Oct 19.85.
Potato futures no sales today.

Chicago Livestock
Chicago, Jan. 31—(AP)—Salable hogs 17,000; total 20,500; slow, generally 25-40 lower than Thursday's average; top 8.15; bulk good and choice 180-240 lbs 7.85-8.15; most 240-270 lbs butchers 7.70-8.00; 270-320 lbs generally 7.50-8.50; most packing sows 450 lbs down 7.00-8.35; heavier weights mostly 6.75-7.10.
Salable cattle 1,000; calves 500, only meager crop fed steers and yearlings here; trade very dull, semi-demoralized on good grade offerings suitable for shipping purposes; no reliable outlet even on medium grades except at weak to unevenly lower prices; such cattle selling 9.00-9.75; few loads strictly good steers held well above 12.00, but not sold; very fleshy good grades medium weight steers 17.50, these 50 up der week's best 17.50 prospects moderate carryover; all other classes steady; cows in fact fairly active with cutters at 5.00-7.50 and feed cows 6.75-7.25; most sausage bulls 7.60 downward; small local killers bulk of crop; mostly 12.50 down on vealers; few select 14.00; light vealers 9.00-12.00.
Salable sheep 3,000; total 6,000; late Thursday fat lambs unevenly 15.40 lower; late sales at full downturn; bulk good to choice fed western lambs 105 lbs down 10.35-10.60; nothing above 10.35 late; two loads 105-6 lbs 10.25; medium to good handy weights 10.10-10.25, today's trade irregular; early sales fat lambs 15 higher than Thursday's low close or 10 lower than early that day; three loads good to choice around 93-95 lbs fed western lambs and pack-age natives 10.50; few just good natives 10.25; load good 92 lbs recently shorn holdover fed lambs 8.65; deck 72 lbs feeder lambs 10.15; sheep very scarce.
Official estimated receipts for tomorrow: hogs 500, cattle 100; sheep 1,000.

Representative Sales	
No. Av. Wt. Av. Price	
60 252	8.00
43 265	7.80
38 311	7.65
Mediums	
48 210	8.15
84 227	8.00
56 231	7.85
Lights	
71 195	8.15
32 176	8.00
Light Lights	
31 151	7.50
29 148	7.25
Native Lambs	
25 101	10.50
14 101	10.00
Western Lambs	

Three Brothers Beat Draft by Enlisting



The unmarried three of the seven Daley brothers of Downers Grove, Ill., taking oath at army induction ceremony in Chicago, left to right: Windham, 24, laborer; Arthur, 22, CCC librarian; and Daniel, 21, laborer. The trio volunteered, saying: "We decided we might as well have it over with." (NEA Telephoto.)

Army Hostesses Sworn In



Maj. Verne Sparks swearing in six new army hostesses at Sixth corps area headquarters in Chicago, left to right: Miss Mildred Cirkle, Milwaukee; Mrs. Gertrude Taugher, Milwaukee; Mrs. Anne Walevitch, Chicago; Mrs. Pearl Dawson, Janesville, Wis.; Miss Marion Philips, Evanston, Ill.; and Miss Ruby Richardson, Chicago. Three will be assigned to Fort Sheridan, Ill., three to Fort Custer, (NEA Telephoto.)

Willkie Gets Underground View of War



Wendell Willkie (right), wearing tin helmet borrowed from air raid warden, chats with an air raid shelter crowd and gets civilians' views of war during fact-finding tour of London. (Photo passed by British censor; radioed to America.) (NEA Telephoto.)

Quizzed About U.S. Personnel Files



Harlan G. Crandall (right), civil service commission employee, in custody of a government man as he was taken to Washington headquarters for questioning regarding alleged theft of confidential personnel files of the civil service commission. (Copyright: Washington Times Herald, from NEA.) (NEA Telephoto.)

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Beebe entertained at a six o'clock dinner, Wednesday evening. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bean, Mr. and Mrs. Don McClellan of Rockford and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis DeGraff.

Mrs. Harry Fager attended funeral services for Anton Diffenthaler, held at Freeport, Monday.

Miss Virgil Ann Zundahl is a medical patient at the St. Francis hospital, Freeport.

Mrs. H. B. Oblander, Mrs. Henry Borchers and Mrs. B. H. Unangst spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Alice Garman.

Mrs. Harry Anderson entertained at dinner Wednesday evening in honor of Mr. Anderson's birthday. Guests were the Robert Huntleys and the Misses Mattie and Jennie DeGraff.

At the annual meeting of the Forreston Mutual Telephone Company held Tuesday, Joe Frey, Walter De Vries and George H. Manus were re-elected directors, with Lewis Dahlmeier, elected director to fill a vacancy. The directors then re-elected the following officers: President, D. J. Hoffman; Secretary, Christ Gassmund; Treasurer, John H. Meinders; Purchasing agent and general manager, Ed Meinders.

Beginning next week the Forreston library will be closed on Monday and Wednesday afternoons, being open on other afternoons from 1:30 to 5 p. m. Miss Millicent Stukenberg is the librarian.

A group of men met at the Reformed Church Thursday evening for the purpose of organizing a Men's Society. Officers elected were: President, Rev. C. H. Bode, Vice President, Martin Van Raden, Secretary, Raymond Genandt, Treasurer, Harry Heeren. Refreshments were served and a social hour was enjoyed. The next meeting will be held on Feb. 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Weegans are the parents of a daughter, born Monday at their home east of town.

The Maryland Maids 4-H club met at the Earl Gesin home Monday evening. After the business meeting, a delicious lunch was served.

Hans Hoepfner of Chicago visited his mother, Mrs. Matilda Hoepfner, last Thursday, when she observed her eighty-fourth birthday.

Donald Reints, student at University of Illinois, Urbana, is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Reints. Mrs. George Rush spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Rush at Adeline.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kilher spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Hagaman near Leaf River.

Merrill Drake and Milford Abels of Jefferson Barracks, Mo., are expected home tonight to spend the week end at their respective homes. The Loyal Helpers Sunday school class of the Evangelical church was entertained by Carol Unangst at her home, Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Drake and Mr. and Mrs. William Drake, went to George, Iowa, Saturday to attend the golden wedding celebration of Mrs. Richard Drake's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Stauffer, which occurred on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Huntley will entertain members of the Rinky Dink card club at their home Saturday evening.

Relatives have received word of the death of Harvey Billig, who passed away, Jan. 22, in California. Mr. Billig was a former resident of Forreston. Burial services were held Saturday at Anna Heim, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brockmeier visited in Freeport, Monday, with Mr. and Mrs. Elton Miller.

The girls' Companion club will meet Saturday afternoon with Barbara Beebe.

Patricia and David Kaney of DeKalb are spending the week end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Kaney.

Miss Elizabeth Andrus has returned to her home in Ashton, after spending several weeks with Mrs. Elva DeGraff.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis DeGraff attended a dinner of the Northern Illinois Funeral Directors at the Hotel Faust in Rockford, Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Ranz, newlyweds, were surprised by a group of friends on Tuesday evening. The evening was spent in playing games. Refreshments were served late in the evening and Mr. and Mrs. Ranz received many, lovely gifts.

Eilert Johnson of Baileyville

spent Wednesday afternoon with Fred H. Stuckenberg. George Groenwald announces that he will hold his power farming day, Feb. 6 with free lunch for farmers and their families at noon and sound moving pictures in the afternoon. Mr. Groenwald is the Allis-Chalmers dealer.

First Evangelical Church
K. K. Mertz, Minister
9:45—Church School; 10:45 divine worship.

The Day of Prayer for Missions will be observed. The self denial offering will be received.

The Mission band will meet at 10:45. They will hold their annual "Buffalo Roundup" during this hour.

The Little Heralds, children to six years of age, will be in charge of Mrs. Thomas Reed.

The catechism class will meet Thursday evening at the parsonage.

Choir practice Thursday evening.

Evangelical Lutheran Church
A. E. Schmidt, Pastor

Sunday school at 9:30.

Service of worship at 10:30. Luther League, Monday at 7:45. Gretchen Huntley, leader. Subject, "Being Trustworthy".

Missionary society meets Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. C. A. Beebe. Mrs. Donald Hiteman is the leader.

Ladies' Aid meets Wednesday at 2 p. m. at the home of Mrs. A. J. Ainsworth.

Choirs meet Thursday—Juniors at 4. Seniors at 7:30.

Catechetical class meets Thursday at 6:30 at the church.

Reformed Church
C. H. Bode, Minister

Sunday school at 9:30.

Worship services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Young People's meeting, Monday evening at 7:30.

Juvenile Society will meet with Mabel Kilker, on Tuesday evening.

Catechism classes Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Ladies' Aid meeting the last Wednesday afternoon in the month.

Men's society meeting, the second Friday evening in the month.

An offering will be received Sunday for the new hymn books.

Numerous Dixon

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ed by Miss Maxine McGinnis. Guests numbered eight.

Among the next to leave will be Mrs. Robert C. Brewster and her little daughter, Karen Joy. Next Wednesday, they will leave for Norfolk, Va., with Mrs. Brewster's parents, the D. E. Helmicks, and Mr. Helmick's sister, Mrs. Rae Hall of Chicago, to join Captain Brewster, who will be completing a two months' training course at Fort Monroe on Friday, the day of their arrival at Norfolk.

From Norfolk, the party will continue to Florida for a winter vacation. At St. Petersburg, they expect to visit another sister of Mr. Helmick, Mrs. William Palmier.

Her departure next Wednesday will probably mark the end of Mrs. Brewster's residence in Dixon, at least for some time, as she will be joining her husband at his new station, which probably will be either Wilmington, N. C. or Galveston, Tex.

In mid-February, (depending upon whether the completion of Camp Forrest is shoved around on the calendar further), Mrs. Wayne Wolfe and Mrs. James H. Ketchin will be heading southward for Shelbyville, to occupy lower and upper apartments, respectively, in the Raney Apartments.

Yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Edmund Gehant and Mrs. C. K. Willett invited eight friends in for luncheon and bridge at the Gehant home, honoring Mrs. Ketchin. Mrs. Vincent Slothower and Mrs. Frank Buckley received score favors, and there was also a guest gift for the honoree.

Last evening, Chester Barriage was host at a stag party for First Lieutenant Wolfe, commanding officer of Company A, who leaves the first of the month to begin officers' training in Chicago. Mrs. Wolfe was the dinner guest of Mrs. Barriage.

William Jennings Bryan was known as "The Commoner."

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writer for a Bund publication. All but Clark were given prison sentences and \$1,000 fines on charges of permitting the speeches. Clark was sentenced for making one, while Klapprott and Kohler were assessed the additional fines for making others.

Released on Bail
Judge Losey released all \$2,000 bail each pending an appeal to the state Supreme court. He granted a certificate of reasonable doubt over the objections of Prosecutor Charles T. Downing that it was an "imposition" on the court after the course followed by the defendants.

None of the Bund officers or Clark showed any emotion as sentence was imposed, nor was there any demonstration by the crowd composed largely of residents of this rural, northwestern New Jersey county.

Present for the sentencing was Wilbur V. Keegin of West New York, attorney for the Bund, who was indicted with the others, but who chose a different defense. Keegan elected the setting of a trial date, then a federal court challenge of the law.

"It seems to be conceded," Judge Losey told the defendants, "that the purpose of the German-American Bund is to attain ascendancy over the Jews."

He pointed out that the Constitution guaranteed freedom of worship and added there was "no room in this country" for anything contrary to this document.

Negotiations For

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ine Corps. In Great Britain the tractors are used widely in repairing bombed air fields.

STRIKE IN NEW JERSEY

Elizabeth N. J., Jan. 31—(AP)—C. I. O. workers at the Phelps-Dodge Copper Corporation plant at Bayway went on strike today, tying up production on \$74,323 worth of U. S. Navy contracts.

Peter Busch, international representative of the C. I. O.'s United Electrical, Radio & Machine Workers of America, issued the strike call at midnight after announcing that the management had refused the union's demand for an election to determine a collective bargaining agency at the plant, which employs 1,600. In New York, Wylie Brown, president of Phelps-Dodge, said the Bayway plant made products for other manufacturers of defense material and that "more than \$200,000,000 in defense orders depend on our supplying these manufacturers". These orders, he pointed out, were in addition to Army and Navy contracts totaling more than \$30,000,000.

"This 'stoppage of work' caused by this C. I. O. group," Brown said in a statement, "is a strike called with utter disregard for the rules and regulations of the National Labor Relations Act and is designed to force us to void our present contract by consenting to an immediate election among our employees".

The company, he said, had signed a contract last November with the Bayway Copper Products Employees' Association, covering wages and "other matters" for a one-year period, "in strict compliance with the NLRA".

He said the C. I. O. union last December had demanded that the company void the contract and negotiate with the C. I. O., and added that the NLRB had taken the C. I. O. demand under consideration.

"It is not fair for either management or union to act before a decision can be rendered by the National Labor Relations Board", he said.

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Benefit Basketball Game

The receipts for the elementary school basketball games which are being played Saturday morning, Feb. 8, will be used to purchase basketball suits for the players. The first game will be called at nine o'clock in the Central school gymnasium, visiting teams will come from Creston and Kings in competition with local midget, lightweight and heavy-weight teams.

Tickets are on sale and may be secured from team members, Hayes Drug store, Barker & Sullivan or the A. A. Shoe store.

Garden Club

The Garden club met at the library club rooms this afternoon, with Mrs. Howard Cooper leading the discussion on "Forest preservation and state parks". Roll call was answered with "Wild flowers that I have grown from seed".

Change Train Schedule

Beginning Saturday, Feb. 1st, the C. B. & Q. train No. 42 to Chicago, will leave Rochelle at 9:20 A. M. instead of the present time of 9:35 A. M. It will arrive in Chicago at 11:45.

U. S. Grant Circle

The U. S. Grant Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Ed Crawford.

Legion Meet, February 6th

The Legion and Legion Auxiliary members will meet with others at Mount Morris, Thursday, Feb. 6th.

School of Instruction

A school of instruction for Rebekah members will be held next Tuesday evening, Feb. 4th.

Basketball League Meeting

Fred Horner, president of the Rochelle Independent basketball league has called a meeting of the team managers, sponsors, and players for tonight at the Rochelle Leader office. Ways and means will be discussed to continue the league for the second half of the season. It is imperative that all attend.

First Aid Red Cross Course

Men and women here have the opportunity of joining the class of first aid students, which is part of the American Red Cross instruction, and taught by Dr. C. Spencer Bond and Miss Marian Swan, school nurse, both authorized American Red Cross first aid instructors. There is no charge for the course, with the exception of a sixty-cent text book.

The course is open to any person over 17 years of age. Beginning the first week in February, the class will be conducted one night each week for two hours, for a period of ten weeks, concluding with an examination.

Class membership is limited. You are urged to make your enrollment with the Chamber of

Commerce at your very earliest convenience.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo H. Maginnis returned home Thursday morning from Chicago where they had been attending a clothier's convention since Sunday.

Miss Hanna Doty is a new employee in the offices of the Whitcomb locomotive Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cleveland will entertain members of the Rockford club at their home on South Main street Saturday night.

Mrs. Ben Coppennoll will entertain members of her bridge club at her home next Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Schultz are vacationing for several weeks in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Anderson are parents of a daughter born at the Glidden hospital in DeKalb, Sunday, Mrs. Anderson is the former Mary June Zimmerman.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Larson have moved from the upper Ella Larson apartment to the downstairs apartment. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Vogeler are moving from the Thurpe apartment on Eleventh Street to the Larson upper apartment.

Lawrence Cahill of the Cahill Motor company, slipped on the ice in front of his business last Wednesday, and suffered a broken leg and other painful injuries. He is confined to his home.

The Service club will meet next Wednesday afternoon at the H. R. Lissach home.

Miss Jeanne Breyman will leave soon for Chicago where she will enter nurse's training at St. Luke's hospital.

Miss Rogene Oakes entertained club members at her home on North Seventh street, Thursday evening.

Mrs. LaBarr of Hayworth, Illinois, is visiting at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wood.

Bernice Peterson and her niece, Marilyn Vogeler, are visiting in Marion, Iowa at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hoskins.

Mrs. Ross Harter is entertaining members of her club this evening at her home on Eighth Street.

Miss Maxine Smith will entertain her Camp Fire group at a Valentine party Wednesday evening, Feb. 5th.

Bobby Coggeshall is going to Palm Beach, Florida, Saturday with his grandmother, Mrs. J. F. Fitzbach of Chicago for the remainder of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Blank left Friday for a three week's vacation in Florida.

Mrs. W. F. Eckert is visiting her sister in Canton, Ohio.

Mrs. Roy Westin will entertain members of her club next Thursday afternoon at her home on Lincoln Avenue.

Bernard DeCoursey is vacationing for a week in Elyria, Ohio with his son.

Several college students are now home for a mid-year vacation.

First attempt to start a newspaper in colonial America was the Public Occurrences, started in Boston in 1690. After publishing a few issues it was suppressed.

Minute glands which secrete gastric juices into the human stomach are estimated to be about 5,000,000 in number.

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Methodist Church Notes

The Children's Society of Christian Service will meet at the church on Saturday afternoon at 2:30. Dorothy Chadwick, Miriam and Janet O'May will have charge of the entertainment.

Sunday school—9:30 a. m.
Morning worship—10:30 a. m.
Sermon: "Faith That Sustains."
Special number of the Junior Choir.

Epworth League—6:30 p. m.
Standard Bearers' meeting on Monday evening at the home of Betty Jo Thompson. Arrangements will be made for the International banquet. Ralph M. Dreger, pastor.

First Evangelical Church

9:30 a. m. Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning worship.
Day of Prayer for Missions.
Mission band will be postponed one week.

7:00 p. m.—League services.
7:15 to 8:15 p. m.—Special combined evening service.
Prayer meeting Thursday at 7:00 p. m.
H. R. Zager, pastor.

Lutheran Church Notes

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.
Lesson, "The Individual Responsibility Regarding Beverage Alcohol."
Lesson text: Heb. 2:15; Gen. 4:9-12, Mark 9:42-48; 1 Thes. 5:22. Golden text 1 Thes. 5:22.

Morning worship, 10:30 a. m.
Sermon text: 13:8-10.
F. W. Henke, pastor.

Reynolds Church Notes

9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—"The Day of Prayer for Missions" will be the theme of the morning worship. "Day of Prayer" and Pioneer Day offerings will be taken.

Rev. Mr. Beuscher will conduct the fourth quarterly conference on Friday, Feb. 14th and communion service, Feb. 16th.
H. C. Farley, pastor.

Sunday school, 10 a. m.

Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Prayer meeting, Thursday, 7 p. m. All day missionary meeting at the home of Mrs. Andrus Griffith, Thursday. There will be a review of the book.
"China Rediscovered the West."
A scramble dinner at noon.
F. Louis Grafton, Pastor.

Royal Neighbor Meeting

The Royal Neighbors will hold their regular meeting on Thursday, Feb. 6th, at the home of Mrs. George Henert. The business meeting will be followed by a social hour.

Magazine Club

The Magazine club was entertained on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Ada Griffith.

Victory Class Meeting

Misses Evelyn and Esther Semmler entertained the members of the Victory class of the Presbyterian church at their home on Tuesday evening. After the business meeting adjourned games were enjoyed with favors and prizes awarded to all. Lovely refreshments consisting of angel

food cake topped with whipped cream, Ritz crackers, candy, nuts and coffee were served at a table which was decorated with colored balloons.

Willing Workers Will Meet

The Willing Workers' class of the Evangelical church will meet in the church parlors on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 5th, at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Louise Kersten will conduct the devotionals. The committee in charge of the afternoon's program and entertainment consists of Mrs. Florence Faust, Mrs. Alice Krug and Mrs. Oliver Krug.

Bake Sale

The Victory class of the Presbyterian Sunday school will sponsor a bake sale on Saturday, Feb. 1st, at the Schaller Locker plant.

Juniors Woman's Club

The Junior Woman's club will meet on Monday evening at the home of Misses Evelyn and Esther Semmler at 7 o'clock.

Mrs. Hugh Flatley of Chicago visited several days this week at the home of her sister, Mrs. George Putman and other relatives.

Miss Elizabeth Andrus, who has been visiting for the past few weeks at the home of Mrs. Elva De Graft in Forrester returned to her home on Wednesday.

Charles Vaupel and Lesslie Sanders, both students at the University of Illinois are enjoying the semester vacation at the home of their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. LaVern Halsey of Rochelle were guests on Sunday at the home of Mrs. Halsey's mother, Mrs. Minnie Krug.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Wagner were dinner guests on Monday evening at the home of their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wagner in Rochelle.

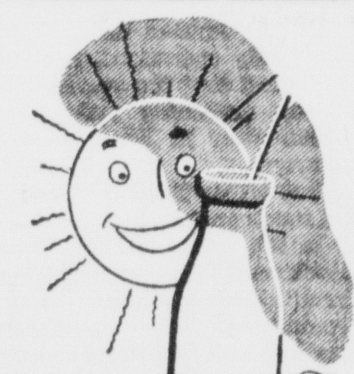
Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Linscott were entertained on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Klenke in Love's Park.

Vernon Finch, for the past year manager of the City Meat Market has accepted a position at the Northwest Meat Market in Rockford. Cecil Calhoun will succeed Mr. Finch in the market here.

The young people of the Evangelical church and their guests enjoyed a roller skating party on Monday evening at the Silver Garden roller rink in Rochelle.

Prior to 1800, the United States government met in eight capital cities. Baltimore was the first meeting place of Congress, which then convened from December, 1776, to March of 1777.

First national convention of Sunday schools in the United States was held in New York City in about 1832 or 1833.



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High School Notes

February 6th the basketball team will meet Harmon again on the local floor, playing both grades and high school. The high school team will play their last regularly scheduled game at West Brooklyn on Feb. 10 and will then enter the state district tournament at Lamolite to finish the season.

Bridge Club

Mrs. Mary Carnahan entertained with a 1 o'clock luncheon at her home Friday. Bridge was enjoyed and prizes going to Mrs. Clara Corwin high, Mrs. Gladys Bunting low.

Personals

Mrs. Myrtle Dunston of Hamburg, New York came Friday for a two week's visit with Mrs. Leslie Miller and other relatives and friends.

Miss Leota Archer of Aurora spent the week end here at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Archer.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Petseys, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Eden, son Rodney spent Sunday evening at Floyd Irwins.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Arnold and daughter Beverly spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. George Miller near Franklin Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Whitsell, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Whitsell spent Saturday evening in Rockford where they attended a basketball game.

John Zimmerman, John Schlesinger, Arlo Gilmore, Elroy and Leroy Schlesinger spent Friday in Chicago.

Mrs. Wilder Richardson went to Chicago Friday to visit until Wednesday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore and family.

Miss Coletta Shaw came Saturday to care for Mrs. Marie Miller who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Beemer spent Saturday and Sunday in Aurora with Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett Healey.

Card Party

The O. E. S. will sponsor a public euchre party at their hall Friday evening, Feb. 7th at 8 o'clock. The public is invited to attend and enjoy an evening of fun. Come on you good euchre players and follow the crowd.

1941 Hobby Show

For the ninth consecutive year there will be a hobby show for the community of Compton. The date

has been tentatively set for the last Saturday in March. The date March 29 will be fixed unless some other function has already been scheduled for the day. Last year nearly six hundred visited the show and it has become one of the largest affairs of the community.

The plan of the show calls for the supervision and management of various departments by interested and public spirited men and women. This is the plan carried out so successfully for the last several years. There will be departments for the school children's section, the home or women's section, the art section, coins, philatelic, sports, photography, jewelry, and miscellaneous. Full announcement will be made in this column regarding the persons in charge. It is the hope of those in charge that anyone having a suggestion will make it as soon as possible so that the idea may be used to better this community project.

Entertained 500 Club

Mr. and Mrs. William Archer entertained at four tables at their home Sunday evening. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Ralph Gilmore, high, Esther Haefner, low. Walter Archer high, Don Archer, low. Mrs. Archer served a delicious lunch to her guests who were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gilmore, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McDougall, Harlow Olson, Miss Esther Haefner, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Archer, Mr. and Mrs. Don Archer.

O. E. S. Card Party

The O. E. S. are sponsoring another of their series of card parties at their hall Friday evening, Jan. 31st. The public is invited to attend. 500, bridge, pinocle and a game will be played. Lunch will be served.

Walton News

By ANNA J. MCCOY

There will be a dance in Saint Mary's hall in Walton on Thursday night, Feb. 6. Laurence's orchestra will furnish the music and lunch will be served.

The Marion Unit of the Home Bureau met recently at the home of Mrs. P. H. Dunphy at an all day meeting. The lesson "Pie Crusts and Fillings" were given by the

local leaders. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. William Gugerty in February.

Miss Josephine Halligan, Betty Shoemaker, Clara Belle Padgett of Dixon, Katherine Niesel of LaSalle, Bernice Piper of Ohio spent Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of last week in Chicago where Misses Shoemaker, Niesel and Padgett took their state examination for beauty culture. Miss Halligan and Miss Piper went as models for the students. Josephine and Bernice will take the state test in April. The young ladies have many friends in this vicinity who wish them success in their chosen profession.

The dance held in Saint Mary's hall on last Thursday night was well attended.

Mrs. McFadden of Rockford is spending a few weeks at the J. L. Carrington home.

Mrs. P. H. Dunphy spent Monday afternoon at the Leo Drew home.

Mrs. J. J. Blackburn was a caller Wednesday evening at the home of Anna J. McCoy.

Miss Edna Dempsey is spending a few weeks in Amboy at the home of her aunt, Miss Margaret Flannery, who has been quite ill.

Mrs. J. L. Carrington motored to Rockford Friday and her mother, Mrs. McFadden came home with her for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Drew were callers Sunday at the home of Mrs. Catherine Drew in Harmon.

Mrs. P. H. Dunphy and son, Rosemary Blackburn and Anna J. McCoy were callers in Amboy on Thursday night.

Mrs. William Sharkey is spend-

ing a few weeks in Amboy at the home of Mrs. Rose Sharkey who is quite ill.

John J. Morrissey, Jr. and wife and son John Francis were Amboy shoppers Friday.

Kingdom

Mr. and Mrs. Bernell Sanford and daughter spent an evening recently at the home of Joseph Bieschke and sons.

Larry Henry from Forrester spent a few days last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Floto and children were recent callers at the Elmer Whitney home near Light house.

Jesse Gray and Peter Jones were Oregon callers last Wednesday.

The many friends of Mrs. Fred Gates will regret to learn that she is confined to her home because of sickness and hopes she will soon be well again.

Mrs. William Morris spent Tuesday evening with Mrs. Hoover in Nachusa.


Miss Eva Averill from Oregon spent a few days last week with Mrs. Owen Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. John Morris were Dixon shoppers last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Floto and Douglas entertained at dinner last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Floto and family from Dundee and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Floto and family.

Mrs. Lottie Floto visited her daughter, Mrs. Alfred Tice in Dixon last week.

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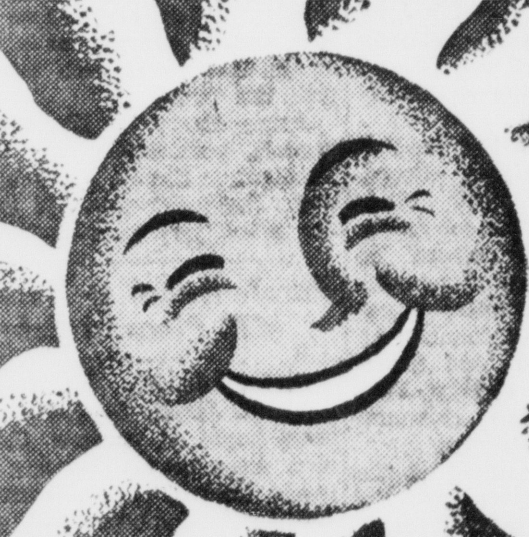
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ADJUSTMENTS TO FOLLOW LOSS OF FOREIGN MARKET

National Defense Board Member Talks to IAA Convention Today

St. Louis, Jan. 31—(AP)—Chester C. Davis, national defense advisory commission member, declared today the loss of foreign farm markets "would force on us internal adjustments so drastic as to make the early ventures of the AAA look like a Liberty League's dream of economic paradise."

"I am not in favor of giving up without a struggle the chance for American farmers to sell in world markets," Davis said in a prepared address before the 26th annual meeting of the Illinois Agricultural Association.

He outlined a program which he said would lessen and in part avert that loss. It was:

"To develop and discover plans to increase consumption of food and fiber at home, particularly by the underfed and poorly clothed millions who live here;

"Continue and enlarge the policy of storing food and fiber against enlarged domestic consumption in the future or the reopening of foreign shipments;

"Make provision in the pending lend-lease bill that the United Kingdom (Great Britain) will take from the United States the normal proportion of agricultural commodities which she must import.

"Plan now so that we can move swiftly when a way is found to make our surplus available to the starving millions in Europe who need it, when the time for reconstruction arrives.

Wants Decentralization

"Even if these policies are carried out to their maximum yield for agriculture," Davis continued, "we may find that there are still too many people growing cotton, and tobacco, and wheat, for all of them to earn a decent American standard of living. x x x That is why I have insisted upon decentralization x x x."

"That is the only way in which new reservoirs of unemployed labor and resources can be tapped without uprooting families and shifting them thousands of miles into communities where ebbing of the armament effort will leave them stranded.

"I am afraid that, in the defense effort up to date, we have followed the same pattern of regional concentration that was followed in 1917 and 1918. At that time we handicapped our effort by shortages of labor and transport and left an aftermath of overbuilt and over-concentrated industry. I am afraid that we will again reap some of the same harvest of economic and social consequences.

"I had hoped that we might use much of the surplus manpower or ineffectively employed manpower of agriculture near at home—that we might avoid moving these folks across the country to supplement the labor supply which, in some of the large urban centers, is already running short."

Military Demands First

"In the months ahead we are going to build up an organization to keep careful watch on shortages of materials and labor as these affect agriculture. x x x Military demands will have to take priority over agricultural requirements—farmers may have to make adjustments in the kinds of fertilizer they use and sometime there may be some shortages in certain types of farm equipment. I do not worry so much about this. But there is a right way and a wrong way of handling such matters so far as the farmer is concerned. I hope we will be able to see that these matters are handled equitably for the farm producer and with a minimum of inconvenience. Above all I hope we will be able to prevent profiteering from any shortages there may be in farm requirements. This is your responsibility as well as mine."

The preparedness program of the nation "would seem" to bring no more than "some temporary relief" to the farmer, said H. P. Rusk, dean of the College of Agriculture of the University of Illinois.

"Much of the increased industrial production will be in goods that the farmer does not want and some of this increased production will be at the expense of reduced production and higher cost of some things the farmer does want," he pointed out in a speech.

Stock Prices Up

"Increased industrial activity in connection with the defense program has already brought about marked increases in prices for cattle and hogs. It has as yet had very little influence on the price of corn, wheat and cotton, of which this country has tremendous surpluses.

"However it should be remembered that not a great deal of what the farmer produces can be used in manufacture of war materials and our people can eat only so much.

"While there probably are a considerable number of people in this country who do not have as much or as good food as they

In Case Hitler Doesn't Wait Until Spring



Adolf Hitler may wait until Spring to try and invade England—and then again—he might not. Britons are taking no chances and training of troops in mid-winter tactics is continuous. Above, members of the Leicestershire Regiment plow through waist-high snow drifts "somewhere in Scotland" during winter practice.

need to be well nourished, the opportunity for increasing domestic food consumption is relatively small, and for the present at least there seems to be practically no opportunity for increasing our export outlets. This does not mean that there will not be some upward adjustment of agricultural prices, especially of some products, but in general, agriculture will not share equally with industry in price adjustments."

Gov. Green Speaks

Gov. Dwight H. Green declared last night that government is on trial as much in the United States as in the stricken nations of Europe.

"The people are the jury, and among them are the agriculturists, tradesmen, workers, the men and women who care for their homes and rear the youths whose future they cherish," he said.

"In America, and in Illinois, the light of free government is still aflame. It must be kept burning, for to extinguish it would be to plunge our people into darkness and turn back the hands of progress."

The Illinois chief executive asserted the greatest problem confronting both the people and the government is that of providing for "our idle population not only relief, but ultimately relief from the necessity of relief."

Thousands Stage Birthday Parties in Honor of F.D.R.

Washington, Jan. 31—(AP)—They threw an immense party for President Roosevelt last night.

"They" were the tens of thousands throughout the nation who celebrated the president's 59th birthday anniversary at parties, balls and other festivities and thereby raised money for the campaign against infantile paralysis.

Roosevelt told them his gratitude in a radio speech from the White House. Their assistance in the campaign against paralysis he called "the rarest birthday present of all—the gift of your charity, your kindness to each other and to the nation."

In the capital, alone, some 41,000 who jam-packed festival gatherings heard the president's words as they went out to nationwide parties of very variety from the swankiest balls to the jitterbug jambores.

It was not a completely happy birthday for him, Roosevelt explained, because "these are not completely happy days for any of us in the world."

"Shall we say," he asked, however, "that American birthdays this year are being made at least happier than they would otherwise be because all of us are still living under a free people's philosophy?"

Cartersville Business Man Dies in St. Louis

St. Louis, Jan. 31—(AP)—Monroe D. Colp, 66, president of the Colp Lumber Company, Carbonate, Ill., and of the Community Flour Mills, Cartersville, Ill., died of heart disease at Barnes hospital last night.

He was identified with business enterprises in southern Illinois for 50 years.

Funeral services will be held at his home in Cartersville Sunday afternoon.

Olympic champions trained on diets of fresh cheese and water about 250 years ago.

They Discovered Mutual Interests



Complete informality marked the recent surprise visit of British Ambassador Lord Halifax to Vice-President Wallace, in the latter's Washington office. Chatting, as pictured above, they discovered they are "connected" through the West Yorkshire village of Monk Bretton, where Lord Halifax owns property. The Vice-President's forebears came from there.

POLO

Mrs. Maude Reed Reporter
Phone 781

Five Polo boys are on call to the military camp at Peay, Tenn. They are all members of the 129th Infantry band, and are: Private William Masey, Private Dick Hedrick, Private Don Harris, Private First Class Dick Bentley and Sergeant Chester Weaver.

Civil Service Exams

Applications to write the civil service examination for the position of postmaster at Haldane must be on file in Chicago with the manager of the Seventh U. S. civil service district not later than Feb. 7. The examination will be given in Polo under the supervision of the local civil service secretary. Application blanks are available at the post office in Haldane.

Feb. 3 the I. O. O. F. lodge will meet for a park supper at 6:30. All members are invited to attend. Madeline French, Priscilla Coffey and Wilmoth Elam, high school students, have the mumps.

Miss Velva Gatz has been chosen by the senior class and faculty of Polo community high school to represent them as a good citizen to the D. A. R. organization. Each year a "good citizen" pilgrimage to Washington, D. C. is offered and the girls are guests of the D. A. R. during the national congress.

Mrs. A. W. Wendle was hostess today at a 12:30 luncheon for members of the Ideal club. Roll call was to be: "A Modern Artist" (Your version of one). Mrs. C. D.

Rowland reviewed the play "Our Town."

A "day of prayer" service will be held at the Grace Evangelical church at Brookville Sunday morning, Feb. 2, beginning at 10:30 a. m. Rev. J. H. Walter will preach at the morning service on the topic "Follow Thou Me in Witnessing". The Missionary society will have a part in this morning service. Rev. P. Beuscher, district superintendent, will preach and administer the holy communion at 7:30 p. m. The fourth and last quarterly conference will follow this service.

Mrs. E. M. Burns of Freeport visited Mr. and Mrs. James Hackett Thursday.

Mrs. Earl Woessner of Shannon visited Mrs. Charles Wolf Wednesday afternoon.

One hundred and seventy-one attended the Brotherhood banquet at the Lutheran church Thursday evening.

Greeks Report Heaps of Dead and Wounded Foes in Abandoned Positions

Athens, Jan. 31—(AP)—Greek forces, pushing forward in the area north of Kifissia, were reported today to have found heaps of Italian dead and many wounded in abandoned fascist positions.

A Greek spokesman said four Italian counter-attacks had been repulsed with 200 Italian prisoners taken in two days and later reports from the Albanian front said the charges had such disastrous results that Italian commanders had to call off offensive action in order to reorganize their forces.

Lemon trees yield from 200 to 300 pounds of fruit each growing season. Lemons are classified by botanists as berries.

Army Orders 4,500,000 Tags For Identifying War Casualties

MODEL	
LAST NAME	FIRST NAME INITIAL
Jones	John F.
ARMY SERIAL NUMBER	RANK COMPANY REGIMENT AND ARM OR SERVICE
7864932	Pvt. A 16th Inf.
DIVISION	CORPS ARMY AGE RACE NATIVITY SERVICE YEARS
37	V First 28 W Ohio 1
STATION WHERE TAGGED:	
Aid station, 1st Bn., 16th Inf.	
DIAGNOSIS: IF INJURY, STATE HOW, WHEN, WHERE INCURRED	
W I A G S W Pen forearm right S Shell fragment	
LINE OF DUTY	
Yes	
TREATMENT:	
Iodine, first-aid dressing	
ANTITETANIC SERUM: DOSE	1500 units TIME 10:15 a. m.
MORPHINE: DOSE	None TIME
DISPOSITION:	DATE HOUR
To Col. Sta.	Jan. 16/40 10:30 a. m.
SIGNATURE, WITH RANK AND ORGANIZATION:	
James H. Smith, 1st Lt., M. C., 16th Inf.	

The U. S. War Department has ordered 4,500,000 medical tags to help identify men killed or wounded in battle. Above, left, is a facsimile of a model tag, filled out to describe the medical history of a fictitious "John Jones." He was "WIA"—wounded in action. Tags will be bound into 150,000 booklets of 30 tags each. At right is booklet's cover and excerpt of instructions for using tags. Instructions tell doctors to place tag "over the breast or as near it as possible." An officer in the surgeon's general's department asserted that the order is not preparation for war, saying tags are useful in maneuvers simulating actual combat and in case of actual sickness or injury in such service.

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Before writing tag tear out tissue paper from the carbon sheet. Use hard, black pencil tag. Throw carbon away after the tag is prepared.

2. Full identification of the organization of the patient is a member is a highly important matter in connection with his military record, and is necessary for studies of battle casualties and planning for medical service in combat. Make the identification record as complete as time permits.

3. Under "Diagnosis" note the essential facts concerning the character of disease or injury. In field, the entry "Wounded in action," W. I. A., or "Killed in action," K. I. A., must appear, with a brief description of the location and character of the wound and a notation of the causative agent, if known.

4. Under "Treatment" note the dressing administered, and whether operation or treatment is urgently needed.

5. Detach original tag and affix it to clothing of patient (or to clothing of the dead, as the case may be) over breast or as near it as possible.

6. Under "Supply" note the original, if possible.

7. Observe the nature and the place of the patient was at the time of the injury.

8. Do not lose tag when all tags have been used.

9. Abbreviations: E W—Extremities terminated; F C C—Fracture, simple; F C C—Fracture, compound; L W—Laceration; L W—Laceration; Pen—Penetrating; S—Shell fragment.

EMERGENCY MEDICAL TAG

U. S. ARMY

Ohio University's Mental Marvel Is Presented to View

Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 31—(AP)—Meet Ohio State University's mental marvel—Joseph G. K. Miller.

The senior from Kent, Ohio completed his last quarter receiving straight "A's" in 29 hours of academic work and this quarter he's trying to outdo that record with a 31-hour stretch.

To the laymen unfamiliar with university operations, it should be explained that the average student at the university undertakes approximately 16 hours of work a quarter.

But Miller is doing nearly twice as much and getting all A's!

In the words of Prof. Robert E. Rockwood, chairman of the university's art-graduate curriculum committee, Miller possesses "intellectual and intellectual fortitude" and is a scholar of "exceptional attainments."

Is No "Bookworm" Therefore, Miller has been permitted to seek his Bachelor of Arts and Master of Arts degree at the same time this year. He'll probably receive both at the June commencement. He is studying economics.

But don't call him a "bookworm," because:

He is a cadet colonel of the Reserve Officers Training Corps, commanding some 2,000 other students; he has a NYA job and is proctor at the hall where he rooms; he is chairman of the military ball and senior class representative of the arts council; he belongs to Scabbard and Blade, an ROTC honorary society; Forum club, Cosmopolitan club and delta Sigma Rho fraternity.

Last year he was cited as the university's top debater and the top-ranking junior in field artillery.

Negro Policy King of Chicago Sentenced to 28 Months in Prison

Chicago, Jan. 31—(AP)—Edward P. Jones, one of three brothers accused by the government of being the negro policy kings of Chicago, was sentenced to 28 months imprisonment by Federal Judge Philip L. Sullivan Thursday when he pleaded guilty to evading payment of \$198,787.37 in income tax for 1938.

At the same time charges against his brothers, George P. and McKissack McHenry Jones, and Thomas R. Gilson, a lawyer and former federal deputy collector of internal revenue, all of whom were accused of aiding the evasion, were dismissed.

When Edward was indicted last March the three brothers were accused of evading more than \$1,000,000 in taxes from 1933 to 1938. The government charged Edward's income from 1938 was \$382,537.07, and his plea of guilty was to but one count of a six-count indictment covering 1938. Charges in the other counts were dismissed.

Government agents said the three negroes came from Mississippi 20 years ago, worked as railroad dining car waiters and then entered the policy game, the profits from which enabled them to live on a lavish scale.

Expect Lyndon People to Oppose Location of Negro CCC Camp There

Lyndon residents are expected to take action in an effort to prevent the establishment of a CCC camp for colored boys near that town. It is reported government agents have been in that vicinity this week trying to lease a 15-acre tract on the Wooster farm, one mile northeast of Lyndon on Route 2. Efforts to locate the camp near Prophetstown recently were thwarted when a lease for land was refused after the Booster club of that city filed an objection.

One-Man Grand Jury to Probe Strike Disorder

Saginaw, Mich., Jan. 31—(AP)—Circuit Court Judges William H. Martin and James E. O'Neill today ordered a one-man grand jury investigation of strike disorders at the Wilcox-Rich plant of the Eaton Manufacturing Co. here January 13.

Prosecutor Joseph P. Friske had filed a petition asking for the grand jury probe. Six policemen were injured and 28 striking members of the C. I. O. United Automobile Workers arrested on felonious assault charges as a result of the riot which took place before the plant.

Judge Harry J. Dingeman of Detroit, presiding officer of the Michigan Circuit bench, will name the judge who will conduct the grand jury investigation.

Parole Board to Hear 426 Pleas in February

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 31—(AP)—W. C. Jones, chairman of the state board of pardons and paroles, announced today the board would conduct public hearings on 426 parole applications on its February docket next Monday at branches of the Illinois state penitentiary.

Hearings pertaining to inmates of the reformatory for women at Joliet, the old prison at Joliet and the Stateville branch will be held in the Joliet institution. Hearings also will be held at the Menard and Pontiac prisons.

After public hearings, the inmates themselves will be interviewed.

\$100,000 Fire in Heart of Springfield Business District This Morning

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 31—(AP)—Fire caused damage estimated at \$100,000 to five buildings in a downtown block here early this morning.

The fire, originating in the offices of a cleaning establishment, threatened the entire block of buildings north of the Sangamon county courthouse before being brought under control. It was discovered shortly before 2 A. M. by a night watchman. The buildings housed stores and offices.

William Howard Taft was the only man ever to have held the offices of both President and Chief Justice of the U. S.

A total membership of 50,000 is enrolled in the 10,000 chess clubs in England.

Famous Chicagoan To Address Lee Co. Teachers Feb. 14th

Hon. William D. Saltiel of Chicago will be the principal speaker at the annual mid-winter meeting of the Lee County Teachers' Association to be held in the high school auditorium, Friday, Feb. 14.

The nurse, Elizabeth Kenny, is returning to Australia after several months work in General Hospital, Minneapolis. Dr. F. S. Harrington, Minneapolis city health commissioner, reported an "amazing series" of successes in Nurse Kenny's treatment, based on hot pack applications and the coaxing of diseased muscles into action by mental schooling.

Dr. Fishbein, editor of the Association's Journal, said the nurse has been testing her technique under investigative conditions and that it was planned, upon her return from Australia, to try the method further "under controlled conditions to test its real value."

British Press Comments on Hitler's "Fantasy"

London, Jan. 31—(AP)—The British press devoted its headlines today to Adolf Hitler's "threat" to the United States, but in editorial comments dismissed the fuhrer's speech yesterday as "pure fantasy" and incapable of scaring Americans.

"A rational world can take it seriously only as a revelation of dangerous delusions of a disordered mind," said the Daily Telegraph.

The Times said "America was once more warned of the dire consequences of giving assistance to Britain," but added, "the tone of the warning showed a prudent disinclination to challenge American opinion x x x x."

The Daily Express comment was: "You may anger Americans by threats. You won't scare them."

Both the Times and the Laborite Daily Herald suggested the fuhrer's speech was intended for German home consumption. The Herald added, "it has no resemblance to reality. It is pure fantasy."

Cross Acting Governor of State Eight Hours

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 31—(AP)—Lieut. Governor Hugh W. Cross was acting governor of Illinois for about eight hours yesterday when Gov. Dwight H. Green left the state to speak before the Illinois Agricultural Association, meeting in St. Louis. It was Green's first absence from Illinois since his inauguration.

PROPAGANDA BARRED

Rio De Janeiro, Jan. 31—(AP)—The Brazilian government announced today that all printed or written matter adjudged to be propaganda for or against any of the belligerent powers would be barred from the mails.

The milk of sheep, goats and buffalo is used for cheese-making in many European and Oriental countries.

It is estimated that as of Nov. 1, 1940, there were 55,000 licensed pilots in the United States.

Fanfare

By DON DANIELSON

THIS AND THAT

Eddie Carlson bowled his last game for the National Tea team last night. Eddie has been transferred to Morrison to work in the grocery store there. John Cahill had six splits in his second game last night and ended with a 135 score, which reminds us that the Telegraph team had 12 splits at the end of the fifth frame in the second game, which explains the cross-eyed look today around the newspaper. Ken (Slats) Hasselberg was unable to bowl due to ankle injury which he received when he slipped on the ice when leaving the East Rockford-Dixon game here last Saturday night. He later injured it worse when he attempted to play basketball one night at South Central gym.

TOUGH BREAK FOR PAW PAW TEAM

Due to several cases of scarlet fever at Paw Paw high school the basketball team was forced to forfeit its game in the Little Ten tournament at Serena last night. In the opening of the tournament the Paw Paw cagers had defeated Plano and were to have met Leland last night. The Planchermen from Paw Paw were the tournament favorites and the forced forfeit came as a blow to the cagers' hopes. They had defeated Leland earlier in the season, 69 to 33.

HOT UNDER THE COLLAR

Dixon fans are writhing their collars in consternation today at the fact that there are no tickets available for tonight's classic basketball game at Sterling. Loyal fans who have tramped with the Dukes all season are unable to get seats for tonight. Sterling reserved all the seats and the few adult duets sent to Dixon were snatched up long ago. Activities today bordered on the bended knee pleas for tickets but to no avail. The situation deprives the Dukes of some of their best supporters and everyone is wondering now how Sterling can handle the tournament crowds which have formerly been coming to Dixon.

MATCH GAMES HERE

Starting tonight there is another full schedule of week-end bowling matches here. The I. N. C. league team will bowl the company's lineups in a feature event at 9 o'clock tonight. Tomorrow night at 8:30 the Mt. Morris team will meet the Dixon Recreation quintet. On Sunday at 1:30 p. m. Dick's Tavern of Amboy meets the Sweeney club of Sublette. At 2 o'clock the Dixon All-Stars roll the Dixon Hot Shots. At 3:30 the Blatz Beer five meets the Franz Mfg. Co. of Sterling and at 5 o'clock the Dixon All-Stars will roll a Rockford quintet.

FEED 'EM, THEN BEAT 'EM—IS THEIR MOTTO

The Franklin Grove cribbage team came down from the home town last evening to engage the city hall representatives in another of their tournament games. They arrived promptly at 6 o'clock and brought well filled baskets of delicious food. Baked ham was the principal dish which graced the table where food was forgotten for the time being until appetites were satisfied. Then the occasion became more serious. The two teams paired off and began play and when the 32 games had finished, the bearers of the fine repast held an 18 to 14 margin over the city hall representatives. Fourteen sessions have been played this winter with the Dixon team leading by a slim margin of six games. The Grovers present were Captain Charley Kelley, John Vogt, Douglas Stultz, Dorsey Buck and Fred Gross. The city hall crew was Captain Dave Kelly, Fire Chief Sam Cramer, City Clerk Wayne Smith, Joe Miller, William Cinnamon and E. L. Pulmer. Harry Lager, formerly of Franklin Grove, refereed the series.

BOWLING SWEETSTAKES

Doubles and singles bowlers from Dixon are now third in the current Paw Paw sweepstakes. Melvin and Williams of Dixon are third in the doubles with 1242. Hopkins and Powers lead with 1247 and Wiley and Poling are second with 1246. Charlie Davis is third in the singles with 649. Crawley leads with 684 and Bastin is second with 659.

CONSOLATION IN VERSE

Out of Ashton's defeat in the 72 conference tournament came a consoling verse which appeared in Bob Dean's column in the Ashton Gazette. We thought we might pass it on to you for what ever size shoe you may wear these days:

You're Men Now

When the final whistle blew the other night
We were really "down in the dump"
The world seemed very blue
And our throats were full of lumps.
We, the town, deserved the loss
For we were too "cocksure"
Yes, boys—that was our disease
And you gave us the cure.
They say that anyone can win—
But to lose makes one a man.
If that is true—then I conclude
That you really must be men."

CRISLER TO RETURN TO MENDOTA

H. Q. (Fitz) Crisler, head coach at the University of Michigan, will be the guest speaker at an athletic banquet at Mendota high school Tuesday evening, March 11. Crisler was graduated from Mendota high school in 1917 and entered the University of Chicago the following fall. This will be the first time he has talked before Mendota high school groups since he gained fame as a coach. Many reservations from Earlville, Crisler's home town, are expected.

HEARD ALONG THE GRAPEVINE

The grapevine report of today told of how Barbara Campbell kerplunked in a snow bank while skiing on a hill near Grand Detour Wednesday night. Barbara's skis crossed in helpless fashion and she landed with her face in a snow drift. Determined that the dog-gone "barrel staves" should not get the best of her, she tried the hill again and came down standing up.

Frankie Frisch has a Success Secret; He Keeps Daily Records of Athletes

By JUDSON BAILEY

New Rochelle, N. Y., Jan. 31.—(AP)—Frankie Frisch, the fiery manager of the Pittsburgh Pirates, has a success secret. He keeps scrapbooks.

Looking back through the fat black loose-leaf volume that covers the good and bad deeds of the Buccaneers in 1940, he can show skeptics how he might have won a pennant instead of finishing fourth.

It's a lot of consolation on cold winter days.

But it's more than that. It's a plan of battle for next year. It's a bible for trades, salary talks and every other sort of business that calls for reference to players and plays of the past.

The book that the Fordham flash scans from time to time these days has the box-score and story of every game the Pirates played in the National League last season. It has pictures of disputed plays, and most of all it has terse, expressive comments written by

Frisch on the games, friends, players or his personal conduct.

Margin Notes

For instance, in the margin of a page covering a game with the St. Louis Cardinals will be seen in a bold scrawl:

"Pitch low to all Cardinals except Mize. Klinger got tough breaks."

Under a picture showing a Pirate being called out at home plate is:

"Vicious Decision".

Mementoes of Frisch's frequent run-ins with umpires last season are scattered throughout the book—not only in newspaper pictures and stories, but in the Flash's notes.

"Fined \$75 and suspended three days."

"Fined \$75 again."

"Second day in stands."

Then there are notes on the performances of his players, some caustic, some laudatory, but mostly impartial and informative, such as:

"Bowman weakened in ninth."

"Van Robays hitting with men on base."

"Garns big help in this one."

And the day the Pirates made seven errors:

"Worst game I ever saw."

Has Kept Records a Long Time

Frisch has been keeping scrapbooks ever since he was an all-around sports star at Fordham prep 25 years ago. His books are piled high on shelves in a closet of his den. They're seldom brought to outside view.

But the faded clippings recount the saga of a sturdy, small-sized Bronx kid who battled his way up the ladder of success to become one of the outstanding sports figures of all time in this country.

The ledge of Horseshoe falls at Niagara is being worn back about five feet each year. The ledge of the American falls is receding about one-half foot per year.

ROUND-UP IS NOW LEADING BOWLING LOOP

Only One Kegler Counts Game Over 200 in Thursday Matches

Like Grant took Richmond, the members of the Round-Up gave the Dixon Telegraph bowlers a terrific hangover last night when they whipped them in three games and moved to the top of the Commercial League once more.

The newsmen were badly off form—so much so that a 124 game was high for the quintet in the second game. Brabazon led the winners with a 530 series and Shultz paced the limping losers with a 164.

The Candy Box dropped the Sparky Fender crew into second place by handing them a three-game defeat. Bondi led the winners with a 521 series and Noakes counted 439 to top the losers.

Cahill's Electric, now is fourth place in the circuit, won two games from the Reynolds wire team. Gehant led the winners with a 535 series and Cy Winebrenner counted 527 for the wiremen.

Coss took two games from the National Tea in a battle for cellar position. Klein rolled 491 for the winners and Courtwright counted 500 for the losers.

No records were broken; and Brabazon rolled the only game over 200 when he counted 215 in his third.

Scores and innings:

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE

Round-Up	W	L
Sparkys Fenders	37	23
The Candy Box	31	29
Cahill's Electric	30	30
Reynolds Wire	29	31
Dixon Telegraph	28	32
Coss Dairy	28	32
National Tea	22	38

High team game—Sparkys 1114

High team series—Sparkys 3097

High ind game—Gehant 244

Cy Winebrenner 244

High Ind. Series

Bishop 625

National Tea

E. Carlson	122	131	110	363
Rink	129	119	179	427
Schmidt	148	136	131	415
Courtright	156	169	175	500
Hines	151	113	115	379
Hasselberg	182	182	182	546

Total 888 850 892-2630

Coss Dairy

Klein	126	195	770	491
Kegel	131	137	150	427
Coss	187	133	140	462
Finch	128	111	110	349
Missman	147	174	138	459
Bond	171	171	171	513

Total 893 923 885-2701

Reynolds Wire

Bishop	188	136	164	488
Adolph	162	143	136	441
Joslyn	114	127	164	405
Fordham	158	140	162	460
Cy Winebrenner	158	192	177	527
Gehant	111	111	111	333

Total 891 849 914-2654

Cahill's Electric

Hasselberg	189	180	186	555
(ave)	152	152	152	456
Cahill	133	135	143	411
Jons	177	143	159	479
Gerber	158	191	139	488
Biggart	135	135	135	405

Total 944 936 894-2774

The Candy Box

Cook	119	140	158	417
Schroock	131	173	141	445
Galos	126	163	116	405
Stewart	144	133	181	458
Bondi	197	185	139	521
Bond	144	144	144	432

Total 861 968 879-2678

Sparky Fenders

Campbell	96	141	130	367
Rubrick	85	158	115	358
Noakes	132	169	738	439
Venier	117	168	138	423
McClanahan	129	136	116	411
Bond	162	162	162	486

Total 721 934 829-2494

The Round-Up

Brabazon	163	152	215	530
Axline	144	165	167	476
Stewart	183	151	152	486
Moerscho	168	188	161	515
baecher	184	146	181	511
Meyers	128	128	128	384

Total 968 930 1004-2902

Dixon Telegraph

Wells	131	118	145	394
Slagle	142	91	174	407
Danielson	122	124	126	372
Uebel	166	120	136	422
Shultz	163	122	179	464
Shultz	185	185	185	555

Total 909 760 945-2614

INDIANA CAGERS TO MEET PURDUE TOMORROW NIGHT BEFORE A SELLOUT CROWD

Chicago, Jan. 31.—(AP)—Unde-feated Indiana, in quest of a fourth straight Big Ten basketball triumph, will meet a strictly Hoosier test tomorrow night when it opposes Purdue at Lafayette.

The game, only conference encounter of the evening, brings together the two clubs which battled it out for last year's crown, won by Purdue despite two losses to Indiana.

A sell out crowd of 9,000 persons was announced for the game in which Indiana, conquer of Illinois, Northwestern and Michigan, will be favored to win. Purdue beat Michigan, but fell before Illinois and Wisconsin.

An Indiana setback would enable idle Wisconsin to take over the conference leadership with five victories and one defeat.

Dixon and Sterling Are Ready for Big Clash

Lincoln Graders Trim St. Mary's; Southsiders Win

Lincoln grade school's undefeated cagers last night defeated the St. Mary's team, 30 to 4 by holding the losers scoreless throughout the first half. In the second game the South Central team routed the Northsiders, 23 to 13.

High scorers of the Lincoln victory were Utz, Rizer and Bivins each with six points.

Broman led the South Central victors with a total of 13 points with six buckets and one charity shot.

In the standings of the four grade school teams, Lincoln is first, South Central second, St. Mary's third and North Central fourth.

Box scores:

Lincoln (30)	FG	FT	FT
Utz, f	3	0	0
Herrin, f	2	0	0
Rizer, f	3	0	0
Silson, f	1	0	0
Cowley, f	2	0	0
Bivins, c	3	0	0
Meinke, g	1	0	0
Woodvatt, g	0	0	0
Bohemak, g	0	0	0
Bohemak, g	0	0	0
Totals	15	0	2

St. Mary's (4)

FG	FT	FT
McBride, f	1	0
Vaile, f	0	0
Hanson, c	0	0
Bergess, g	0	0
O'Malley, g	0	0
Totals	2	0

Score by Quarters

Lincoln	9	20	26	30
St. Mary's	0	0	0	4

North Central (13)

FG	FT	FT
Byers, f	1	0
Webster, f	1	1
Maves, c	1	1
Weyant, g	0	0
Stoncupher, g	0	0
Young, g	0	0
Totals	3	2

South Central (23)

FG	FT	FT
Broman, c	2	0
Cruse, f	2	0
Forman, f	1	0
Dave Moore, c	0	0
Stubby, g	0	0
Skvics, g	2	0
Massey, g	0	0
Totals	11	1

Score by Quarters

South Central	9	13	16	23
North Central	0	3	9	13

Sports Roundup

By EDDIE BRIETZ

New York, Jan. 31.—(AP)—

Jimmy Braddock thinks the 1-10 odds on Joe Louis to beat Red Burman tonight are too long. Hiring Tom Stidham (good as he is) won't cure Marquette's football ills—there's got to be a general stiffening of the entire football program, according to Milwaukee sports writers. Eddie Mead, who piloted Henry Armstrong to three ring titles, has \$100 riding on Red Burman tonight.

Public Announcement

Dr. Jock Sutherland wants to announce that he is getting good and tired of having his name connected with every college coaching job that bobs up. "I have two more years to go on my Brooklyn Dodger contract," says the doc, "and I'm perfectly happy in pro football." Okay, Doc, and no charge for the ad.

Odds and Ends

Bummy Davis (that wonderful little character from Brooklyn) has joined the army to escape the jeers. Greg Rice has won his last 10 indoor races, believe it or not. Chicago fans are tossing a testimonial dinner to "Jockey" Conlan, National former White Sox outfielder and latest addition to the National League's umpiring staff. Billy Conn will take on two heavies as tuneups before clashing with Joe Louis in June. The fights will be held in March and April. Never in his football career was a forward pass completed in the territory defended by the late George Gipp of Notre Dame. Forrest Evashevski, who was Tom Harmon's bodyguard at Michigan, will join the Hamilton college coaching staff.

Today's Guest Star

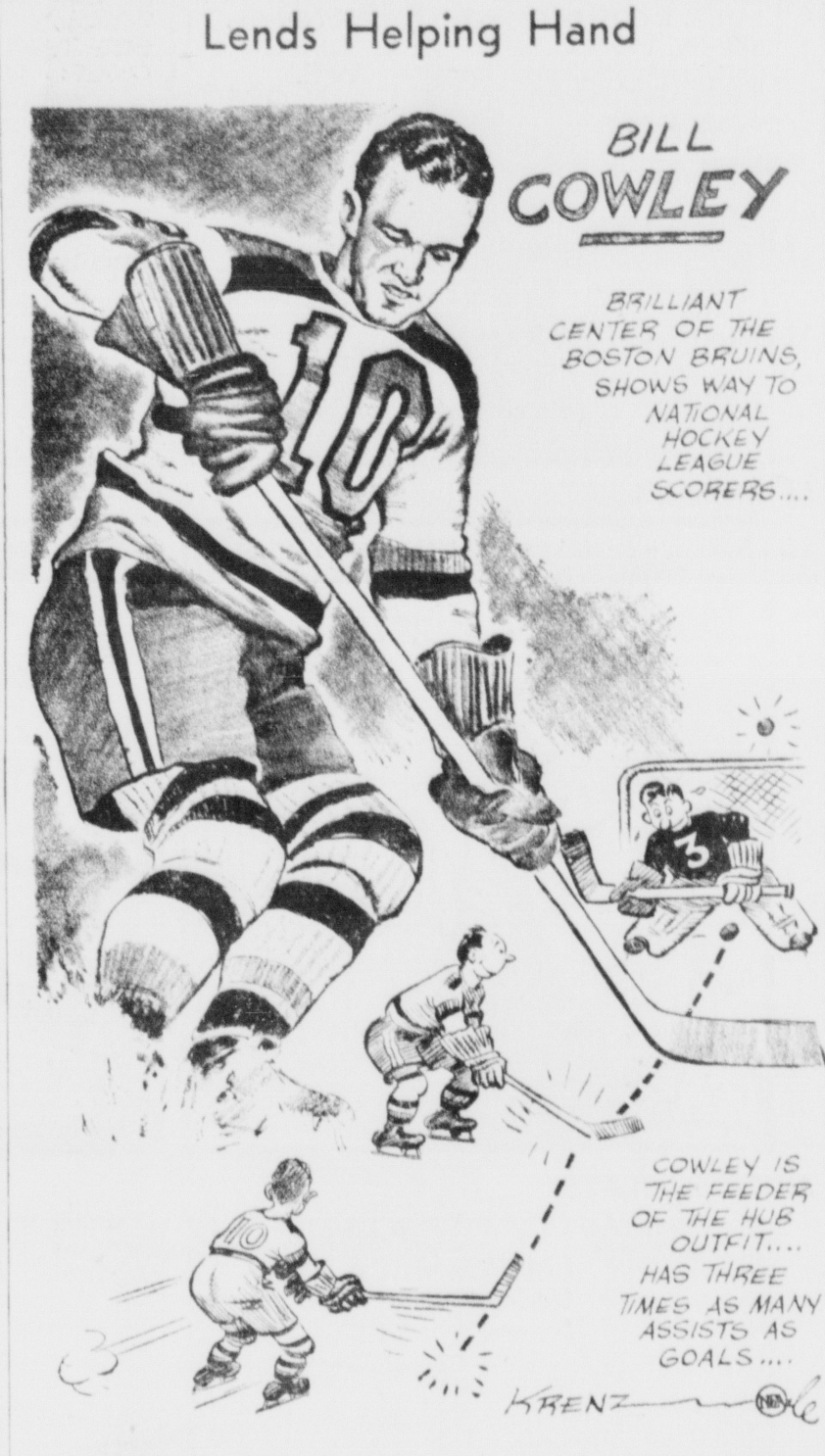
B. M. Atkinson, Jr., Louisville Times: "With all those unsigned contracts the Cubs don't even look good on paper."

Sports Cocktail

Jack Dempsey didn't do himself any good when he told a Virginia Knife and Fork club that Joe Louis "seems to be going backward" but it's the truth, folks. The Brown Bomber hasn't looked the same since the second fight with Bob Pastor. Extra Wallace Wide (who is an old Brownie) can have the job at Brown if he wants it—which he probably doesn't.

Out of Luck

Last night we tuned in on Station WERR at Buffalo just in time to catch this one from announcer Bob Kliment: "K. O. Koverly is now in bad with California. Canada wants no part of him. He'll get the gate in Missouri. And very likely in New York. That leaves only



Fight Fans Speculate on How Long Burman Will Last in Ring with Louis

TALE OF THE TAPE

New York, Jan. 31.—(AP)—The tale of the tape on the Joe Louis-Red Burman heavyweight championship fight in Madison Square Garden tonight:

Louis	Age	Weight
26	26	192
6 ft. 1 1/2 in.	Height	5 ft. 11 in.
76 in.	Reach	73 in.
41 in.	Chest (normal)	42 in.
44 in.	Chest (expanded)	43 1/2 in.
16 1/2 in.	Neck	17 1/2 in.
34 in.	Waist	34 in.
14 in.	Biceps	13 1/2 in.
12 in.	Forearm	12 1/2 in.
8 in.	Wrist	7 1/2 in.
11 1/2 in.	Flint	12 1/2 in.
22 in.	Thigh	22 1/2 in.
15 in.	Calf	15 1/2 in.
10 in.	Ankle	9 1/2 in.

BY GALE TALBOT

New York, Jan. 31.—(AP)—Red Burman, a father of two children and a real good heavyweight, faces Joe Louis in Madison Square Garden ring tonight in the big negro's 13th defense of the world championship.

As usual, the odds against the challenger are prohibitive, and most of what betting takes place will hinge on the number of rounds Burman lasts. It will, of course, be a great surprise if the redhead manages to weather the entire 15 rounds and loses by nothing worse than a decision.

Despite an occasional poor showing, such as in his last bout with Al McCoy in Boston in December, Louis still has the boys buffaloed. They know that when Joe is "right" and for some vague reason feels like tearing a man apart he is deadly as rat poison.

Few who saw it will ever forget what he did to Max Schmeling the second time they met, when slight-

LEO FREISINGER PUTS HIS SPEED SKATING TITLE ON THE LINE IN EVENT TODAY

Schenectady, N. Y., Jan. 31.—(AP)—Defending Champion Leo Freisinger put his North American speed skating title on the line today against opposition that included all of the nation's top blade artists.

The speedy Chicago Olympic veteran, fully recovered from a recent illness, looks to big Ken Bartholomew, Minneapolis, winner of the national title last week at LaCrosse, Wis., as his chief threat in the three-day meet.

Formidable opposition, however, was expected from such standouts as Vic Ronchetti, Chicago, a former North American champion; Del Lamb, veteran Milwaukee star; Chuck Leighton, Minneapolis, and the top-ranking easterner, Ted Ellenwood, Amsterdam, holder of the middle Atlantic and eastern titles.

No such battle was foreseen in the women's division. Regarded as a standout is Carmelita Landry, national champion from Fitzburg, Mass. Her closest competition is expected from Louise Herou, Minneapolis, runner-up at LaCrosse.

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8:15 Louie & Weasel—WIND
8:30 Everyman's Theater — WMAQ
Playhouse—WBEM
Happy Birthday—WENR
I Want a Divorce—WGN
9:00 Wings of Destiny—WMAQ
Joe Louis vs Red Burman prize fight—WENR
9:30 Al Pearce's Gang—WBEM
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Ten O'Clock Final—WENR
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2:30 Open House—WBEM
3:00 Campus Capers—WENR
3:30 Rhythm for Tea—WBEM
A Boy, a Girl and a Band—WENR
3:45 Edna O'Dell—WGN
4:00 The World Is Yours — WENR
Wex Mauphin's Orch. — WMAQ
News of the Americas — WOC
4:30 Sing Before Supper — WMAQ
5:00 Spivak's Orch. — WMAQ
Johnny Long's Orch. — WENR
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WBEM
Sensation Syncopation — WGN
5:15 Pappy and His Boys—WGN
5:30 Henry Ball's Orch.—WGN
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5:45 The World Today—WBEM
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6:00 Ginsburgh's Concert Orch. — WGN
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King's Jesters—WCFL
7:00 Marriage Club—WBEM
Knickerbocker Playhouse—WMAQ
Green Harnet—WGN
7:15 Man and the World — WBEM
7:30 Wayne King's Orch. — WMAQ
Truth or Consequence—WMAQ
8:00 Voice of Liberty—WGN
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8:30 Symphony Orch.—WCFL
Ray Herbeck's Orch. — WMAQ
8:45 Saturday Night Serenade — WBEM
Lawrence Welk's Orch. — WGN
9:00 Symphony Orch.—WCFL
Station EZRA—WMAQ
Chicago Theater of the Air — WGN
9:15 Public Affairs—WBEM
9:30 Shoot the Works—WOC
Golden Gate Quartet — WBEM
Ben Cutler's Orch. — WMAQ
Howard Neumiller, piano—WBEM
Hawaii Calls—WGN
Bobby Ramos Orch. — WMAQ
10:30 Isham Jones' Orch. — WMAQ
Lawrence Welk's Orch. — WGN
11:00 Gene Krupa's Orch. — WMAQ
Roy Fox' Orchestra — WBEM
11:30 Bernie Cummins' Orch. — WCFL
Bob Knight's Orch. — WBEM
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GREEN PROCEEDS SLOWLY IN HIS PATRONAGE WORK

Governor Has Filled But 20 of Over 200 Jobs at His Disposal

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 31—(AP)—Resignations and dismissals of Democratic state officials continued today while Governor Dwight H. Green proceeded slowly in selecting the men and women who will take their places in his Republican administration.

The governor, during slightly less than three weeks in office, has filled only about 20 of the more than 200 executive positions in departments and on boards and commissions under his direct jurisdiction and subject to his appointment.

Green announced late yesterday the dismissal from the state payroll of Edwin L. Wilson of Joliet, former Circuit Judge against whom an unsuccessful impeachment proceeding was instituted in the legislature in 1937, after Wilson as a judge issued an injunction to prevent interference with slot machines in Joliet.

The governor said Wilson had been employed since last August at \$200 a month as a "railroad rate investigator" in the state finance department. His position was one of six additional jobs abolished in that department because they were found to be "unnecessary", the governor said.

Also dismissed was Max Bibb, Paris, state purchasing agent under the late Governor Horner and later transferred to another position in the finance department.

Resignations Accepted . . . Resignations of Timothy J. Kiley of Chicago, chief state grain inspector, and Sam Kees of Lincoln, supervisor of public utility revenue, also were accepted by the governor.

The appointment of William Hogan of Normal, child welfare officer in the Illinois department of the American Legion, as managing officer of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Children's Home at Normal was announced.

So far the governor has given little indication of his plans for appointment of members of such agencies as the commerce commission, pardon and parole board, civil service, athletic and industrial commissions, and the liquor control and tax commissions. Appointments to these commissions carry salaries ranging from \$4,500 to \$6,000.

Request for Prehn
Green said recently that W. Emory Lancaster, Quincy, had offered to resign as chairman of the Civil Service Commission but that he did not plan to make any change at least until March, when Lancaster's term expires.

A request that Paul Prehn of Champaign be named as chairman of the state athletic commission was made yesterday to the governor by Senator Everett R. Peters and Representatives Charles W. Chabough and Ora D. Dillavou, all of the Champaign district. They reported that Green did not indicate whom he would appoint. Joe Triner of Chicago now heads the athletic commission, which controls boxing and wrestling in the state.

Eldorado Boy Killed During Scuffle; Hit in Neck With a Club

Eldorado, Ill., Jan. 31—(AP)—Struck on the back of the neck by a club in a scuffle, 11-year-old Charles Elbert Boutwell died instantly yesterday. His neck was broken.
Mrs. Elmer Boutwell, the boy's aunt, was quoted by Sheriff Tom Gram as saying the club was held by a playmate.

BASKETBALL SCORES

COLLEGE RESULTS

Syracuse 34; Princeton 24
Loyola (Chicago) 47; Chicago 27
Alabama 40; Vanderbilt 24
Bowling Green 35; Findlay 34
Duquesne 53; Geneva 47
North Carolina State 39; Duke 38
St. Ambrose 49; Upper Iowa 35
Ripon 27; St. Norbert 26
Youngstown 46; Kent State 33
Central (Ind.) Normal 50; Huntington 28
Murray Teachers 49; Delta Teachers 44.

Jesse Owens to Try Comeback on Speed Paths

Columbus, O., Jan. 31—(AP)—Six years ago the headlines screamed as Jesse Owens, Ohio State's "ebony antelope", set three world track records and tied another in a Big Ten meet.

Fifty years ago his fame spread around the world as he won three individual events and led the U. S. sprint relay team to victory in the Olympics at Berlin.

Last year, tucked down in a corner of the sports pages, appeared a paragraph that the great sprinter was bankrupt.

The years between had seen Jesse turn professional to "cash in." Radio guest star appearances, baton-swinging with an orchestra, tap-dancing on stages—all helped fill his pockets with gold. Then fading fame forced him to exhibition races against horses, and other less profitable ventures.

Today, his money gone, the 27-year-old Jesse is back at Ohio State to finish his collegiate education. He looks toward a coaching and teaching career. He's a professional, but he plans one more fling at time and distance before putting away his winged shoes.

Never Beaten in Dashes
The dusky speed king, never beaten in the dashes, low hurdles or broad jump in his college days, wants to take a crack at the .464 second quarter-mile record—and to extend his record 26 feet 8 1/2 inches broad jump mark beyond 27 feet.

Still sleek and speedy despite his long layoff from the cinder paths, Owens said:

"I believe I can get the 440-yard record down to .46 seconds. I'm going to ask Dan Ferris of the A. A. U. to approve a plan for me to run against time at some of the big summer meets. Also, I'd like to run and jump in exhibitions at some of Ohio's State's dual meets.

"I have no regrets, for it was great to be up there for a while. But now my feet are back on the ground."

John Cooney and Jimmy Wilson Are Honored by Scribes

Boston, Jan. 31—(AP)—Two "washed up" old battery mates—John Cooney and Jimmy Wilson—discovered today that the end of baseball's trial was heaped with honors from the Boston diamond writers.

A year ago, they were a couple of "has beens." The smart students of the game told you that Coach Cooney of the Boston Bees and Coach Wilson of the Cincinnati Reds were all "washed up" as players.

It seemed a leisurely end for the pair, who had started together as pitcher and catcher for New Haven in the old Eastern League. A sore arm forced John into outfield duties back in 1928, but Jimmy always wore the catcher's bulky "tools of ignorance" until he moved into the managing and coaching end of the game.

Finished With .318 Averaged
Before the year was over, Cooney took a regular center field berth with the Bees, almost won the batting title, and finished with a .318 average.

Wilson resumed wearing the mask and pads in the World Series, caught six of seven games and really sparked his club to the title. Then he was appointed manager of the Chicago Cubs.

Recognizing the cold courage displayed by this elderly pair, the Boston baseball writers named Wilson as the man who had performed the outstanding individual feat of last season and Cooney as the most valuable player to be found on either Boston team—Bees or Red Sox.

As these old timers were honored at a dinner last night, the writers put some accent on youth by naming Dominic Di Maggio, Red Sox fly catcher, as the "outstanding rookie" of 1940.

Legal Publication

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE OF CLAIM DATE

Estate of Frederick H. Manning, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Executrix of the last Will and Testament of Frederick H. Manning, deceased, hereby gives notice that the First Monday in March, 1941, is the claim date for said estate, and that all claims may be filed against the estate of the said decedent on or before said date without issuance of summons.

Anna Manning, Executrix.
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Richard Meade
Reporter

Scout News

The local Boy Scout troop is planning to have a program during the big Boy Scout week. The program will be held at the Community club rooms. Boy Scout week is the second week in February. As yet no definite date has been set, however, as soon as it is decided we will publish it.

At the program, local Scouts will receive awards for advancement. So far two merit badges and a second class award are ready to be given. The parents of the Scouts will be invited to attend the program and the scrambled supper.

Scarlet Fever

The dreaded epidemic of scarlet fever has hit Paw Paw and vicinity. Audrey Eden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Eden, Vernadine, Robert and Junior Brewer, children of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Brewer, and Marie Warrenfeltz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Warrenfeltz, are already afflicted with the sickness.

Their many friends are hoping for a satisfactory recovery from the illness. Paw Paw folks hope no other cases will develop.

In Accident

Robert Firkins, who lives northeast of Paw Paw, was injured in

an automobile accident east of Waternman on Monday. The Firkins car skidded into two other cars that had collided in front of him. Firkins was not seriously injured, according to reports and is recovering as well as can be expected. Three persons riding in the other autos were killed and several injured.

Missionary Speakers Enjoyed

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Larsen, of Barbourville, Kentucky, entertained a good crowd at the Baptist church on Sunday. The missionaries told of many interesting experiences in their works and also presented moving pictures.

Personals

Ed Stroyan is on the sick list and is reported to be quite ill. Mr. Stroyan is staying at the John Stroyan home.

Leo Hutchinson of Ohio, Ill., has been visiting at the Leone Hutchinson home this week.

Many people in Paw Paw are suffering from the flu or very bad colds.

Rueben Firkins is reported to be quite seriously ill at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Boyle have left for a trip to New Orleans, La., and other points in the south. They intend to be gone for several weeks.

Miss Sadie Case is on the sick list at the present time. Miss Case is staying at the Mrs. Hulda Roessler home.

Phillip Niebergall is in much improved condition at this writing.

ing. His many friends are hoping for a complete recovery soon.

Ivan Urish was in Chicago on Friday afternoon transacting business.

Richard Kellogg of Earlville was a Paw Paw business caller on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Hazel Mead and daughter Helen, were Earlville business callers Wednesday.

A good number of fans journeyed to Serena on Tuesday evening to see Paw Paw beat Plano in the Little Ten tourney, 34 to 23.

Jack Boyle of Chicago spent the week end in Paw Paw at the C. A. Boyle home.

Frank Clemmons visited at the Lewis Clemmons home on Monday afternoon.

Methodist Church Notes

James H. Hagerty, Pastor

"See ye first the Kingdom of God"

Sunday school services at 10 a. m. under the direction of Carl Rosenkrans, supt.

Morning worship at 11 a. m. The sermon subject will be "God's Quests", the first of a series dealing with the joys and experiences of the Christian Service.

Epworth League will be held at 6:45 p. m. at the parsonage. All young people are invited to attend and a fine discussion is always presented.

Junior League meets at the parsonage on Tuesday afternoons at 4 p. m.

All the men are asked to be present on February 4, 1941 for the first of a series of Men's Nights. The meeting place will be at the church parlors. The committee in charge of this organization are: Walter Berry, Homer Betz, John Hawbaker, Francis Taber, Avery Merriman and Rev. Hagerty. There will be a good program and games and eats.

We can see many men in the past who have been inspired to solve great problems of human living. Some have reaped immediate personal reward, others not seeing the ultimate good in their own lifetime have gone down in seeming defeat. God has called these men

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Morning services at 11 a. m. Sermon subject—"Blind Religionists".

B. Y. P. U. services at 6:30 p. m. All young people are invited to attend this fine service. A good discussion and spiritual education. Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Sermon subject—"What Is Man?"

Remember the mid-week services at the church. On Thursday evening, prayer meeting. All are asked to attend.

Last Thursday, January 30, the monthly meeting of the Covenant and business meeting was held at the church. A good number attended.

All are invited to attend choir practice and enjoy singing of the hymns.

A new Sunday School class for young men above the high school age. John Mortimer will be the teacher. Come and make this class a success.

STEWART

A shower was given Thursday afternoon at the church in Stewart in honor of Mrs. Robert Hanson. About seventy-five relatives and friends were entertained by a short program. Miss Edith Fuller gave a reading, entitled "How to Preserve a Husband".

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Chicago, Jan. 31—(AP)—Most commuters using the Chicago, Aurora & Elgin Interurban railroad will pay increased rates of fare starting Saturday under the terms of an Illinois Commerce Commission order.

The commission decided Wednesday that sale of the 54-ride monthly tickets must be stopped Friday. Most commuters have been buying this service since it was inaugurated in 1933.

Under the commission's ruling commuters will have to buy either the 60-ride tickets, at an 11 per cent increase in cost, or use any one of the new 10, 12 or 14-ride tickets to be placed on sale Feb. 1.

The railroad sought permission to discontinue sale of the 60-ride tickets but the commission ordered this service maintained for the present.

Col. A. A. Sprague, receiver for the electric line, had requested authority for a rate increase amounting to one-fourth cent per mile "to keep the road from going out of business".

The commission took under advisement a request from commuters, who testified during a recent hearing, that it investigate electric power rates paid by the railroad to the Public Service Company of Northern Illinois.

There are approximately 35,000, 600 telephones in use in the world today.

Detroit Health Officer to Head New University of Michigan Institution

Ann Arbor, Mich., Jan. 31—(AP)—Dr. Henry F. Vaughan, 51-year-old Detroit health commissioner, will join the University of Michigan faculty February 17 to direct the establishment of a million dollar school of public health of which he is to become head.

Dr. Vaughan's appointment was announced yesterday by Dr. Alexander G. Ruthven, university president, who defined his duties as planning the building and organizing the curriculum of the school which was made possible by grants of \$500,000 each from the W. K. Kellogg Foundation of Battle Creek and the Rockefeller Foundation of New York.

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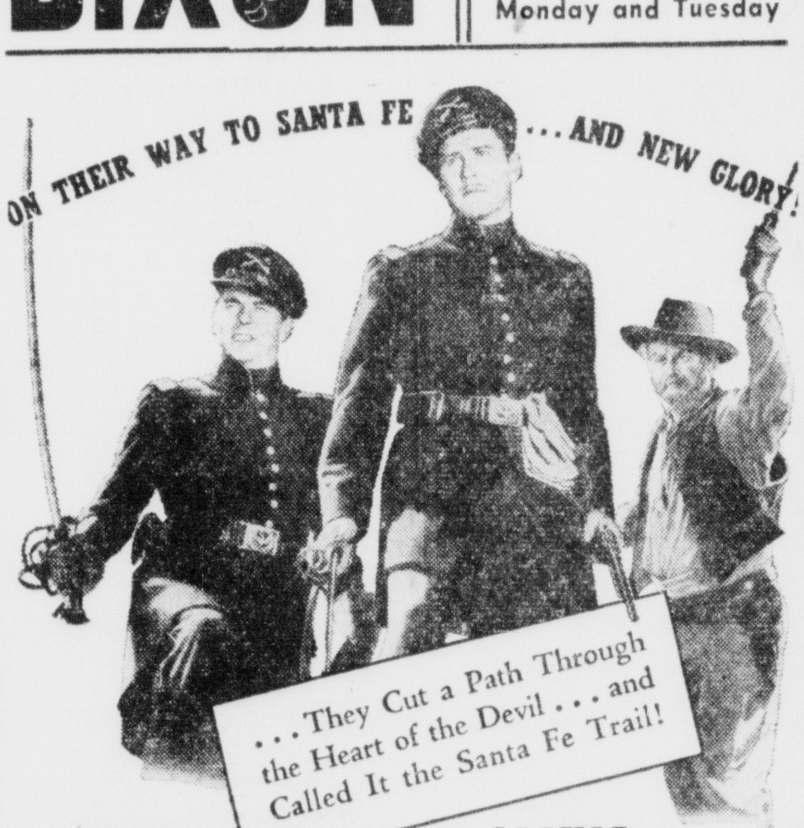
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